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FOR DESCRIPTION  
NAMES AND PRICES  
OF THESE  
THREE GRAND NEW  
PEDIGREE ROSES  
SEE PAGE 1



Schmidt & Botley's

Mammoth Flowering Pansies 12 SPL NDID PLANTS FOR 35 CENTS. FOR DESCRIPTION SEE PAGE 2.



# OUR GLORIOUS NEW RED ROSE

## "AMERICA"

The Grandest Hardy Ever-Blooming Red Rose in the World. Hardy Everywhere. Blooms Continuously. Bears Flowers far Superior to the famous General Jacqueminot. Introduced and for sale only by

✿ ✿ ✿ ✿ SCHMIDT & BOTLEY. ✿ ✿ ✿ ✿

(See color plate illustration on front cover page.)

THIS magnificent new Crimson Rose is, beyond question, the peer of any Rose yet introduced. It produces in great abundance exquisitely formed, large pointed buds, which open into beautiful double blooms of delicious fragrance. The color of bud and full blown flower is a pure, deep scarlet crimson, without a touch of purple in any stage of its development. The parentage of "America" would alone indicate its real worth. It is an offspring of two of the grandest and richest dark Roses heretofore sent out, viz: The well-known hardy dark red Rose, "Duke of Edinburgh," and the equally well known ever-blooming red Rose, "Meteor." "America" combines the good qualities of both these grand Roses, but is larger and produces more blooms than either of its parents. It is a strong grower with handsome dark green, leathery foliage, every shoot being crowned with a large, perfect bud of exquisite beauty. We own and control the entire stock of this magnificent new Rose, and would caution our friends that it cannot be bought elsewhere. Price, for strong one-year-old plants, splendidly rooted, 50c each; large two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.

### OUR GRAND NEW HARDY EVER-BLOOMING PINK ROSE,

## "NESTOR"

The Grandest Ever-Blooming Pink Rose Yet Introduced. ✿ ✿ ✿ ✿

(See Pink Rose, top of colored plate on front cover page.)

AS "America" is the peer of any dark red Rose, so is "Nestor" the peer of any pink Rose yet disseminated. It is the offspring of two grand, well-known pink Roses, viz: "Magna Charta," the largest hardy pink Rose in the world, and the lovely new pink Rose, "Belle Siebrecht," the beautiful Rose which made such a furore among the Rose growers five years ago. The progeny of such parents would alone insure extreme hardiness, strong growth and a matchless profusion of bloom.

"Nestor" inherits the splendid qualities of both its parents, combining the extreme hardiness and strong, vigorous growth of "Magna Charta" and the extreme free blooming tendencies of the lovely "Belle Siebrecht." It throws up enormous canes, which are crowned with immense blooms much like "La France" in form, but approaching "Belle Siebrecht" in color, being a soft, solid pink. It is very fragrant and will be grown largely for its inimitable buds and faultless color. We own and control the entire stock of "Nestor," and warn our customers that it cannot be pro-

cured at any other establishment than ours. Price, for strong one-year-old plants, 50c each; large, two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.

### OUR NEW HARDY EVER-BLOOMING SILVERY PINK ROSE,

## "ATLAS"

(See color plate illustration on front cover page.)

THIS lovely new Rose is a daughter of the acknowledged Queen of Roses, the beautiful and well-known "La France." This fact alone would place it in the very front rank of high-grade Roses. Like its illustrious parent, "Atlas" is quite hardy, but is a much stronger grower and produces five blooms to "La France's" one. It throws up long, quick-growing stems which are

surmounted by long buds opening into large double flowers of two shades of pink exquisitely bright and fresh. The predominating color is light, silvery pink, as seen in illustration, and is exceedingly beautiful. We own and control the entire stock of "Atlas," and advise our friends and patrons that it can be procured only at our establishment. Price, for strong one-year-old plants, 50c each; large two-year-old plants \$1.00 each.

#### SOCIETY OF AMERICAN FLORISTS.

OFFICE OF SECRETARY,

76 MILK STREET.

BOSTON, Nov. 8, 1901.

Messrs. Schmidt & Botley, Springfield, Ohio:

GENTLEMEN—The result of my inquiries convinces me that you may with safety use the names: America, Nestor, and Atlas, for the Roses you wish to introduce.

I also enclose three registration blanks, which you might fill out and forward to me.

Yours very truly,

WM. J. STEWART, Secretary.

Since receiving the above official communication, certificates of registration have come to hand for each of our three new Roses.

#### OUR SPECIAL OFFER

We will send one strong plant of each of these grand new Roses for \$1.00.

No further Discount on this Offer.

## OUR BEAUTIFUL NEW HARDY PHLOX.

(See colors from nature on last page of cover.)

THE colored plate on the last or fourth page of cover gives the true colors of these six handsome new Phlox. No. 1 on plate is just about one half the natural size of this beautiful sort. Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 show their true colors, which were taken from nature, and they all have fully as large blooms as No. 1. This set of six hardy Phlox is the best and most distinct that money can buy. The plants we send will all bloom this summer.

No. 1—WILLIAM ROBINSON—Deep, rosy salmon with crimson eye. It is simply superb. Price, 15c each.

No. 2—DOLLY VARDEN—Pure white with beautiful rosy pink eye. This is a very beautiful sort. Price, 10c each.

We will send this set of six handsome Phlox to any address for 50c. NO FURTHER DISCOUNT.

SPRINGFIELD PUBLISHING CO., SPRINGFIELD, OHIO.

No. 3—ETNA—Bright red with maroon star in center. It is truly a beauty. Price, 10c each.

No. 4—SNOWFLAKE—Beautiful pure, glistening ivory white. Price, 10c each.

No. 5—AMORITE—White, overlaid with lilac, center rosy crimson. This is a very novel yet beautiful variety. Price, 10c each.

No. 6—EPOPEE—A lovely carmine crimson with a halo of pure white in center of flower, base of petals bright carmine. This is a magnificent Phlox. Price, 10c each.

# SCHMIDT & BOTLEY'S

## SUPERB PANSIES

**O**UR SUPERB PANSY STRAIN is the very best the world produces. The colors are truly wonderful, including over a hundred different shades and combinations, with blendings and markings entirely new and of most exquisite beauty. Price, for splendid plants that will flower at once, 35c per dozen; 40 plants for \$1.00. (See illustration on inside page of cover.)

## FOUR BEAUTIFUL REX BEGONIAS

AS SHOWN ON THE INSIDE PAGE OF COVER

delight in a moist, shady situation and make excellent house plants and for baskets and vases if not exposed to the full rays of the sun. They do best in light, open soil, composed of rich loam, loose woods earth and sharp sand.

### The Grand New Begonia, KING OF REX

Finest and largest leaved of any of the Rex family. Impossible to describe in words the beautiful markings of this magnificent Begonia. Cross between Begonia Diadem and a Rex variety, but retains in a marked degree the Rex character. Price, 15c each.

### The Lovely Silver-Leaved Begonia, R. GEORGE

A fine upright growing variety. Very large, beautifully lobed, rich, glossy silver leaves with distinct palmate center of bronze green. The edge of leaf is metallic green, distinctly spotted silver. Price; 15c each.

### New Speckled Begonia, SPECULATA

Quite a novelty in the Rex type. Leaves are in the form of a grape leaf. Color is a bright green, with a background of chocolate; veins of a light pea-green, the whole leaf spotted with silver. In bloom it is magnificent, the panicles, composed of great numbers of individual pink

blossoms, are lifted high and spray-like; quite clear of foliage. Price, 15c each.

### The Handsome Bronze Begonia, CLEMENTINA

Upper surface of the leaf a beautiful bronze, ornamented with large silvery spots; the underside of the leaf is a bronzy red, which produces a beautiful effect. Price, 15c each.

**OUR SPLENDID OFFER**—We will send one Strong Plant of each of these four Rex Begonias for 50c.

## To Our Customers

We wish to take advantage of this opportunity to inform our friends and customers that, owing to the unprecedented rush of business last spring, we unavoidably fell behind in getting out and forwarding orders. We worked day and night, but in spite of our efforts, we could not keep up. This caused some of our patrons and ourselves considerable annoyance.

We are glad to state, however, that we have, during the past season, so arranged and increased our facilities for the prompt handling of our fast increasing business that we can and do guarantee the filling and forwarding of all orders, if weather permits, not later than from one to four days following receipt of order. Kindly bear this in mind when making out your orders for plants, etc., this Spring.

We would also state that our facilities for propagating, growing, packing, and shipping plants, etc., are not surpassed by any house in the United States. We have the post-office and all the leading express companies, whose wagons call at our establishment every day, almost at our door. Trains also leave our city at frequent intervals during the day for all parts of the country—thus making our shipping facilities unsurpassed.

# IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

PLEASE READ THIS PAGE CAREFULLY

## A FEW WORDS ABOUT EXPRESS CHARGES



GREAT MANY of our customers have written to us stating that they much prefer having their plants sent by express, but complain about the heavy express charges which are very often due to overcharges by express agents. To remedy this, we give our customers their choice of paying the express charges on their plants themselves and get the benefit of our liberal **Express Clubbing Rates**, which see below, or we will prepay the express charges ourselves on all orders that amount to \$3.00 or more, in which case the Express Clubbing Rates cannot be allowed. All orders that amount to less than \$3.00, to be sent by express, we cannot prepay, but they are, of course, entitled to the Express Clubbing Rates. To show the great advantage our customers derive from paying the express charges themselves, and thereby taking advantage of Express Clubbing Rates, we herewith give the average express charges on \$3.00, \$5.00 and \$8.00 orders:

The express charges on a \$3.00 order will average from 50 cents to 75 cents according to the express rate to the point where the order is from.

On a \$3.00 order, when purchasers pay the express charges, we allow them to select extra plants to the amount of \$1.50—a clean gain to the purchaser of from 75 cents to \$1.00.

The express charges on a \$5.00 order will average from 75 cents to \$1.50, according to the express rate to the point where the order is from.

On a \$5.00 order, where purchasers pay the express charges, we allow them to select extra plants to the amount of \$3.00—a clear gain to the purchaser of from \$1.50 to \$2.50.

The express charges on a \$8.00 order will average from \$1.25 to \$2.25, according to the express rate to the point where the order is from.

On a \$8.00 order, where purchasers pay the express charges, we allow them to select extra plants to the amount of \$5.00—a clear gain to the purchaser of from \$2.75 to \$3.75.

Larger orders will, of course, receive, pro rata, a still greater rate of discount.

**SEE OUR MAIL AND EXPRESS CLUBBING RATES** A careful perusal of our Mail and Express Clubbing Rates will convince our flower-loving friends that our inducements for the formation of clubs, as well as for individual orders, are exceedingly liberal.



**Do Not Include Collections or Special Offers in Making Up Your Discounts, as it Applies Only to Price Per Single Plant or Bulb.**



### MAIL CLUBBING RATES.

Any person sending \$1 select plants to the value of 25c. extra  
Any person sending \$2 select plants to the value of 60c. extra  
Any person sending \$3 select plants to the value of 85c. extra  
Any person sending \$4 select plants to the value of \$1.25 extra

Any person sending \$5 select plants to the value of \$1.75 extra  
Any person sending \$6 select plants to the value of \$2.50 extra  
Any person sending \$8 select plants to the value of \$3.00 extra  
Any person sending \$10 select plants to the value of \$5.00 extra

### EXPRESS CLUBBING RATES.

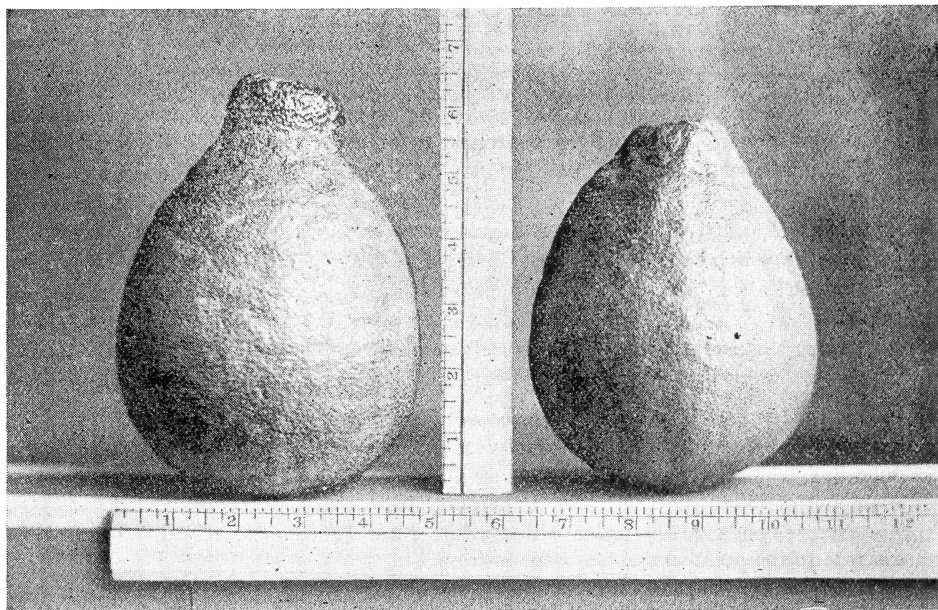
Any person sending \$2, select plants to the value of \$1.00 extra.  
Any person sending \$3, and pays the express charges themselves, select plants to the value of \$1.50 extra.  
Any person sending \$4, and pays the express charges themselves, select plants to the value of \$2.00 extra.  
Any person sending \$5, and pays the express charges themselves, select plants to the value of \$3.00 extra.  
Any person sending \$6, and pays the express charges themselves, select plants to the value of \$4.00 extra.  
Any person sending \$8, and pays the express charges themselves, select plants to the value of \$5.00 extra.  
Any person sending \$10, and pays the express charges themselves, select plants to the value of \$8.00 extra.

Individual orders allowed the same discount as club orders. If plants are to be forwarded by Express always mention by which Express Company you wish them sent.

# OUR **MONSTER** AMERICAN WONDER LEMON

(SENT OUT BY SOME UNDER THE SPURIOUS NAME OF "PONDEROSA.")

## LARGEST AND FINEST EDIBLE LEMON IN THE WORLD



A greatly reduced photograph of two Lemons weighing four pounds twelve and one-fourth ounces, picked from our original parent tree, October 25, 1901, there being no less than thirty-six of these mammoth Lemons on the tree at the time.

### THIS TRULY WONDERFUL LEMON

**W**AS INTRODUCED FOR THE FIRST TIME TO THE PUBLIC BY US in the Spring of 1899. Since that time we have grown and sent out thousands to all parts of the country, and the reports we have received from our patrons in all quarters as to its productiveness and size is very flattering. It is truly a wonder, for no other Lemon ever produced such enormous fruit or bore so freely. The plants grow rapidly and make shapely trees in a few months. The fruit is very handsome as well as useful. May be used anywhere that ordinary Lemons may be used, and one of these is equal to eight or ten common Lemons. Has very thin rind for such large fruit, and its acidity is unsurpassed. Highly recommended for lemonade and all culinary purposes. In addition to its fruit bearing qualities it makes a very handsome specimen plant for house culture. The dark green foliage is very large and handsome, and the pure, waxy-white flowers, with yellow stamens, are nearly as large as Tuberosa blossoms and as fragrant as Orange blossoms, which they greatly resemble. We guarantee every tree to produce the same large fruit, no budding or grafting necessary. It is of the easiest culture, flowering and fruiting in any good, ordinary soil.

#### PRICE

For very strong, young plants, from 2½ and 3 inch pots, 15c each, five for 50c; strong, handsome plants, from 4 inch pots, 25c each; large, two-year-old plants, fruiting size, 50c each; very large, handsome plants, out of 7 and 8 inch pots, exceptionally fine fruiting size, \$1.00 each.

**NOTICE**—We would call the attention of our patrons to the fact that some are sending out our AMERICAN WONDER LEMON under the fictitious name of "Ponderosa." When ordering this marvellous Lemon, send to us. We are headquarters for it. We introduced it; we named it, and

**WE HAVE BY FAR THE LARGEST STOCK IN THE WORLD OF THIS SPLENDID LEMON.**

N. B.—Owing to the great demand for the 50 cent and \$1.00 sizes of our AMERICAN WONDER LEMON last Spring, we were sold out of these sizes before the close of the season. This caused some of our patrons and ourselves unavoidable annoyance. We have provided against this happening again by growing an immense quantity of these popular sizes and offer them this Spring in larger and better plants than ever in the 50 cent and \$1.00 size.

# READ WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY OF OUR WONDERFUL LEMON.

**WE COULD FILL PAGES WITH THESE BONA FIDE AND UNSOLICITED LETTERS** of commendation did space permit. "The proof of the pudding is in the eating of it." The proof of the genuineness of our claim that we have the **most wonderful, the largest, the best, the most prolific and the easiest to grow** of any Lemon in the world is surely demonstrated in the statements of hundreds of our patrons from all parts of the country.

San Antonio, Texas, Sept. 21, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Sirs:—My "Wonder Lemon" is a fine shrub with eight Lemons on it. I send you dimensions of three: No. 1, 13½ inches in circumference, 14½ inches in length; No. 2, 1 ¼ inches in circumference, 14½ inches in length; No. 3, 14½ inches in circumference, 14½ inches in length. Will the fruit change color on the tree? Yours truly, Miss E. M.

Corpus Christi, Texas, Sept. 21, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—I received your Fall catalogue. This reminded me of the promise I made to write you again about the "Wonder Lemon." It is indeed the Lemon of Lemons. You will remember in my testimonial of it in 1899, I stated they had frozen to the ground, as did all other Lemon and Orange trees I had in February of that year. About the first of August of this year they began to bloom. They now have Lemons larger than the largest commercial Lemons sold in the markets. It is indeed an American wonder. Yours truly, Jno. A. S.

New Hope, Alabama, March 1, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

I must tell you of the pleasure I have realized from articles bought from you. The Lemon is indeed a wonder. I have pulled three ripe ones, but did not think of weighing them until I read testimonials in catalogue, after which I measured one. It was 15½ inches one way, and 14½ inches the other, and weighed 20 ounces. I still have one which is a wonder. I never tasted better lemonade or pies. I lost three of the seventeen Roses last year, but the others have done well—some of them 14 feet high. The Gen. Washington is a real beauty. So, if I have success with my present order, I shall consider myself rich in Roses. Yours truly, Mrs G. M. H.

Mayodan, N. C., April 12, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Sirs:—Two years ago I bought one of your American Wonder Lemons. Mine was a two-year-old plant when purchased and was in full bloom when received and the first year bore six large, fine Lemons averaging 10 ounces. Last year it bore ten, all larger and finer than those of the previous year. I value my plant very highly and want my friends and relatives in Mississippi to have them. Enclosed find express money order for \$2.00, for which please send two American Wonder Lemons (third size, extra large fruiting size, \$1.00 each) to Mrs. J. M. G., Aberdeen, Miss. I wish to add that I have gotten a number of Roses and hothouse flowers from you and they always proved most satisfactory. Very respectfully, Mrs. W. C. R.

Robinson, Ill., April 29, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—Enclosed find money order for \$3.50, for which please send me the enclosed order as soon as possible. I have an American Wonder Lemon that is a mass of buds and bloom. I hope to have quite a number of Lemons set on it. The American Wonder is all you claim for it. Yours respectfully, O. R. H.

Wapella, Ill., April 22, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

I send you an order this day. Would like it sent about the 5th of May by express. In with my order I order one American Wonder Lemon, 50c size, to be sent to Mrs. M. E. R., Akron, O., in care of Dr. W. C. R. She visited me last November, and was so pleased with my Lemon tree which had two very large Lemons on. One of them measured 12x11 inches, and the other a little smaller. They made excellent lemonade and pie. My tree bloomed again in February and has now several Lemons set with new shoots and blossoms starting. It was a great curiosity to everyone, being the only one in our village. I am very proud of it, I assure you. It was received two years ago this coming May, a little plant not more than 12 inches high. I want you to send a two-year-old bearing size to the lady whose address I send. Send Lemon first of May, or as near as convenient. Find enclosed Postoffice order for \$4.00. I hope you will send me nice plants. I was very much pleased with my plants last year. Send by American Express. Respectfully, Mrs. JENNIE E. B.

Dexter, Mo., Feb. 27, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—I have now one of your American Wonder Lemon trees in bloom. It has about fifteen bloom stalks and the smallest one has eleven Lemons. It is a beauty, and the foliage is alone worth the money, having very large, glossy leaves. The tree is all around a wonderful tree. Yours truly, ARTHUR H.

San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 1, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

The American Wonder Lemon we had from you had four of the finest Lemons, weighing from 26 to 31 ounces, and measuring 16 inches in circumference. Please send the plants by express, and oblige,

Yours respectfully, Mrs. F. S.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 4, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—The Lemon tree I bought from you some time ago has proved a wonder. It was covered with flowers and out of them I have three large Lemons.

Respectfully, C. A. VON S.

Greenville, Tenn., Sept. 10, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Sirs:—My American Wonder Lemon I ordered last Summer is 5 feet, 8 inches in height from pot, and has one Lemon on measuring 11½x13 inches, and shows no signs of ripening yet. Respectfully, C. A. S.

Vernon, Texas, April 18, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

The orders sent to you by Mrs. Kell were for me. I am an old gardener and worked for Peter Henderson and also for Isaac Buchanan in 1854-5. So you see I am no Spring chicken. I had some dealing with that Ponderosa outfit two years ago, and they sent some of the poorest stuff I ever saw. They wrote to say that they would make it all right, but I did not like to try them again. I am putting up a small greenhouse, and when I come to stock it I will remember your firm. This order is for a friend. Last order came promptly and in fine shape. Respectfully, JOHN B.

Preston, N. C., Jan. 14, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

I am delighted with the Lemon tree I got from you last April, one year ago. It has done so much better than I expected it to do. It would have borne thirteen Lemons if I had not plucked five of them after they had gotten as large as an egg. Was afraid that it would tax tree too much. Just three weeks before Christmas I gathered two and used one to make cake, or a part of it. The other I sent to one of my neighbors. All who saw it say they have never seen anything like it in the Lemon family before. I took one from the tree last Saturday that weighed 22 ounces and measured 15½ inches in circumference one way and 14 inches the other. I sent that to a friend of mine in Smithfield, who will show it to many and also have our county paper, the Smithfield Herald, take notice of it, and hope the exhibit of it will result in a large sale of it in Smithfield for you. Miss C. E. S.

Pottsboro, Texas, Jan 15, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

Kind Sirs:—I am much pleased with the Lemon tree I purchased from you in the Spring of 1899. Bloomed and fruited last Spring for the first time. Two Lemons remained on the tree and grew to a large size. One measured 14 inches around and weighed a pound. One Lemon was shown in this county and caused quite a sensation. I have had many inquiries about my tree and think you will get a good many orders for them. Hoping you may get many orders, I remain,

Yours respectfully, Miss MARY U.

Lockport, Ills., April 8, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—I send you a small order including one Lemon, I bought one of your Lemons two years ago this spring, I have one Lemon on the tree that measures 17 inches in circumference both ways, and is not ripe yet, there are several small ones on it and it is still in bloom. I shall let three or four remain on the tree to ripen. The tree when in blossom scents the whole house and is worth all you ask for it, I am very proud of it and will notify you how the one I have just ordered gets along. Yours truly, W. C. MACD.

Alton, Mo., April 15, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—Your plants arrived promptly and in good condition. I was highly pleased with them. My American Wonder Lemon, purchased from you last Spring, is now a veritable beauty. It is quite large and is in full bloom and has been so for six weeks. Resp., Mrs. FRANK H.

San Antonio, Texas, June 9, 1901.

SCHMIDT & BOTLEY, Springfield, Ohio.

Last Spring I got of you two of your Wonder Lemons, at 50 cents. One of them has now three enormous Lemons and is in full bloom. The \$ .00 size was laden with fragrant flowers in the Spring and now has sixty fine Lemons

Mrs. B. F. H.



OUR GREAT \$1.00 MAIL TRIAL COLLECTION FOR NEW CUSTOMERS.

# \$2.35 WORTH OF CHOICE PLANTS FOR \$1.00

THIS COLLECTION is, as you will readily see, composed of strictly meritorious and up-to-date varieties of plants. They are a fair criterion of the plants sent out from our establishment, and we guarantee them to be just as we represent them. This nice collection consists of the following choice plants: ❁ ❁ ❁ ❁ ❁ ❁

New hardy ever-blooming Rose, **THE BALDWIN**; rich, dark red.

New ever-blooming Rose, **QUEEN OLGA OF GREECE**; a grand pink Rose.

New ever-blooming Rose, **SNOWFLAKE**; beautiful pure white.

New ever-blooming Rose, **MAD. KRUGER**; coppery - yellow, very fine.

1 beautiful King of Rex Begonia (see in side of cover.)

1 splendid double Petunia, **ESMERALDA**; purple and white.

1 Giant flowering Heliotrope, **FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE**.

1 handsome new Salvia, **SILVERSPOT**; lovely foliage, scarlet flowers.



SNOWFLAKE.

1 grand new Canna; superb flowers of largest size.

1 lovely Boston Fern; the best for house culture.

1 ever-blooming Paris Daisy, **MAD. GAILBERT**; large white flowers.

1 double blue Violet, **LADY HUME CAMPBELL**; very fragrant.

3 lovely, fragrant Carnations; 2 distinct sorts.

3 of our choicest Geraniums; all distinct sorts.

4 of our best Chrysanthemums viz: **GOLDEN WEDDING**, yellow; **SILVER WEDDING**, white; **MRS. PERLIN**, pink; **DEFENDER**, red.

Making in all **22** of the very choicest plants for only **\$1.00**

This is less than 5 cents each, and is certainly a splendid bargain.

When ordering this Collection, please say **\$1.00 MAIL TRIAL COLLECTION**.

**NO FURTHER DISCOUNT ON THIS COLLECTION**

## OUR BIG BARGAIN EXPRESS TRIAL COLLECTION

EVERYTHING plainly labeled and packed as light as will be consistent with safety. It consists of: ❁ ❁ ❁

1 large handsome Boston Fern, best for house culture. Price, 20c.

1 fine Palm, from 5-inch pot. Price, 50c.

1 large plant of Rex Begonia. Price, 15c.

1 strong plant of Acalpha Sanderii; very fine. Price, 15c.

1 large 2-year-old Hibiscus; large red flowers. Price, 20c.

1 American Wonder Lemon (see page 4). Price, 25c.

1 Handsome Australian Silk Oak. Price, 15c.

4 of our best and most distinct Cannas. Price, 40c.

This fine collection of large plants would cost at Catalogue prices, per single plant

# \$4.25

We will send the entire collection, by Express

**OR ONLY**

# \$2.00

and we guarantee every plant to be just as represented, and the largest and best assortment of choice plants our customers ever saw for the price. o o o o o o o

4 splendid "Mums," all distinct sorts. Price, 40c.

3 large 2-year-old ever-blooming Roses, all different. Price, 75c.

3 choice Carnations, finest sorts. Price, 30c.

3 of our best distinct Geraniums. Price, 30c.

3 of our best flowering Begonias. Price, 30c.

2 ever-blooming Paris Daisies, white and yellow. Price, 20c.

Making in all **29** splendid foliage and flowering plants for only **\$2.00**

This splendid Collection of plants sent by Express for only \$2.00.

No further Discount Allowed on this very Liberal Offer. When ordering, please say "Big Bargain" Express Trial Collection.




# ROSES




**OUR LEADING SPECIALTY & WE HAVE  
THEM BY THE HUNDREDS of THOUSANDS**




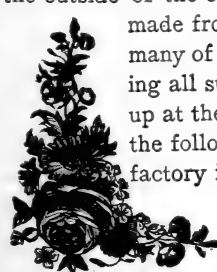
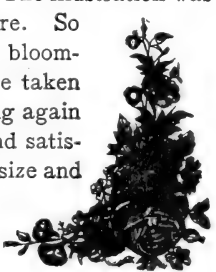
WHILE our catalogue, as will be readily seen, contains a very choice assortment of all kinds of flowers, we wish to call your attention more especially to our very complete and choice list of Roses. We have gathered together not only in our own country, but also from foreign countries, all that is good. These we have thoroughly tested and we now have the pleasure of offering you the very cream of existing varieties and at the lowest price plants of good quality can be produced for. We have all kinds and classes of Roses, and best of all they are good strong plants, with clean foliage and healthy strong roots, being grown slowly in a cool temperature to attain this result. With our twenty-five years of experience, one of the largest and best equipped plant establishments in the west, personal supervision and attention to detail, we solicit your orders, confident that no one is more anxious to please or in better condition to give good service, full value, and satisfactory results.

 We particularly call your attention to our three new **Pedigree Roses**, illustrated on the first page of cover and fully described on the first page of catalogue. The illustration faithfully portrays the extreme beauty of these handsome new Roses and was made from flowers cut from the original stock. **They are the exact color, shape and size of the blooms.** The price we ask for the three is exceedingly cheap for such Roses, being less than **35 cents each**. We ask, where could you buy such Roses elsewhere for the price?

 Our **Superb Strain of Pansies**, illustrated on inside of cover and described on page two of catalogue is something marvellous. All lovers of the beautiful should try at least a few of our famous strain. Give them a good, rich soil, and you will be delighted with the lovely new colors and size of flowers. Our superb strain is the choicest of all Pansies and only **35 cents per dozen**.

**The Four Choice Rex Begonias**, illustrated on the inside of cover and described on page two of catalogue are also well worthy of your careful consideration. The four varieties we offer for **50 cents** are the best and easiest to grow of all the Rex Begonias, and we strongly recommend them to all lovers of this very beautiful variety of Begonias.

 We also call your attention to the magnificent collection of **Hardy Phlox**, illustrated on the outside of the cover and fully described on the first page of catalogue. The illustration was made from natural flowers and the colors are depicted true to nature. So many of our customers ask us for something that is pretty and free blooming all summer and yet hardy—something that does not have to be taken up at the approach of winter, and that will be ready for blooming again the following summer. Our beautiful new hardy Phlox will be found satisfactory in the highest degree for this purpose and they increase in size and magnificence every year. The six we offer for **50c** are the most varied and beautiful Phlox that grow. We heartily recommend them to everyone of our customers.



# A Guarantee that Means Something

**W**E guarantee all plants to reach their destination in a good growing condition. We guarantee absolute satisfaction to every purchaser of our goods. If you think we have made a mistake, tell us so, or write to us. Try to do so good naturedly; if not, do it anyway. Do not complain to anyone else or let it pass. We want an early opportunity to make right any unintentional error we may make.

## Be Sure to Sign Name and Give Your Address.

Many orders reach us lacking either or both. Customers when writing about unsigned orders will aid us in identification by mentioning the articles ordered.

## Our Plant and Seed Departments

Are entirely separate. Often the seeds or plants on a combined order may be sent before balance of order is filled. If only one part of order is received, please wait two or three days for the balance before writing us.

## When Corresponding

Be careful always to sign your name the same way. Ladies sometimes send an order in their own name, and perhaps write again inquiring about the order in their husband's name. This often causes us much annoyance and waste of time. Do not mix your order and correspondence together.

If you wish to write concerning the order, write it on the back of the order or on separate sheet.

## Canada Postage.

As postage to Canada is double the United States domestic rates we must ask our Canada friends to send 10 cents extra for each \$1.00 worth ordered. Do not send Canada postage stamps or silver as we cannot use or dispose of them. Roses and all hard-wooded plants are by law prohibited entrance into Canada.

## When Ordering

Always state when you wish the goods shipped, otherwise they will be sent you at once. Send in your order early while stock is complete and unbroken. If you do not wish plants forwarded until later date we will reserve plants and forward when desired.

## Remittances

Should be made either in the form of **P. O. Money Order, Bank Draft, Express Money Order, or Registered Letter.** Remittances in any other way are entirely at the sender's risk.

Address all Letters, and make Drafts, Money Orders, etc., payable to

**SCHMIDT & BOTLEY,**  
Springfield, Ohio.

## BOWKER'S AMMONIATED FOOD FOR FLOWERS

## A NEW ODORLESS FERTILIZER FOR POT PLANTS

Makes plants grow and bloom luxuriantly, and drives insects from the soil. It starts the plants at once into a healthy and vigorous growth and abundant bloom. It drives worms and other troublesome insects from the soil. It has no disagreeable odor, and is the only Artificial Fertilizer which can be used without danger or injury to the plants. It takes the place of liquid manure, and is just the thing that has been wanted for a long time. We have sold tens of thousands of packages of it, and have yet to hear the first complaint. If your plants are doing poorly get a package and see how quickly they will be benefited. It acts like a charm. The Ammoniated Food is put up in wooden boxes, with attractive wrappers. One package, sufficient for twenty-five ordinary-sized plants for one year, for 50 cents. Sent by mail, postage prepaid on receipt of price.

## SLUG SHOT KILLS BUGS.

A powder destructive to insects that are injurious to house and garden plants, shrubs, trees, vines, potatoes, melons, cabbage, currants, etc. Used in all latitudes since 1880, with safety to man, beast and fowl. Put up in perforated screw-top canisters, and is handy to use, mere dusting on the plant with the can. If you are troubled with insects on your Rose bushes, we recommend you to try this. It does its work quickly and thoroughly.

PRICE 50 CENTS PER CANISTER.

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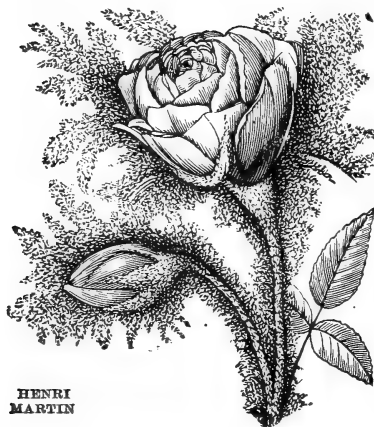


TRADE MARK.

## Our Fall Catalogue

customers of this and last year, and

On the first of September we issue a Catalogue of Bulbs and Plants for Fall Planting and Winter blooming, such as Hyacinths, Tulips, Narcissus, Crocus, Freesias, etc. We mail this Catalogue to all our customers, and we will also send it free to others who wish to order.



HENRI  
MARTIN

## BEAUTIFUL MOSS ROSES.

**Henri Martin**—A magnificent Moss Rose, Extra large and perfectly double. Color a deep rosy-carmine, shaded a bright crimson; very mossy and fragrant, and one of the finest. One of the most rampant growing Roses to be found in any class, and a most profuse bloomer in its season. Price, 15c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each.

**Princess Adelaide**—Fine bright carmine; large and vigorous; much esteemed. Price, 15c each; two-year-old plants, 30c.

**Elizabeth Rowe**—Bright satiny-pink, large, double, fragrant, finely mossed. Price, 15c each; two-year-old plants, 30c.

**Comtesse de Murinais**—Flowers white, sometimes tinged with flesh color; large, double, cupped buds, heavily mossed. One of the best Moss Roses. Price, 15c each; large two-year-olds, 30c each.

## The Beautiful Memorial Rose, Rosa Wichuriana

This hardy and lasting Rose creeps over the ground like Ivy. The leaves are glossy, dark green, and handsomely notched. The flowers, which are borne very profusely, during July, are large, pure white, single, with yellow center, and have a strong, wild-rose fragrance. It is one of the very best plants for rock work, embankments, slopes, cemeteries, as well as for garden cultivation. Its wonderfully free, rampant habit frequently shows growth of 10 to 12 feet in a season, spreading as it goes. Fine, strong plants, 10c each; 3 for 25c.



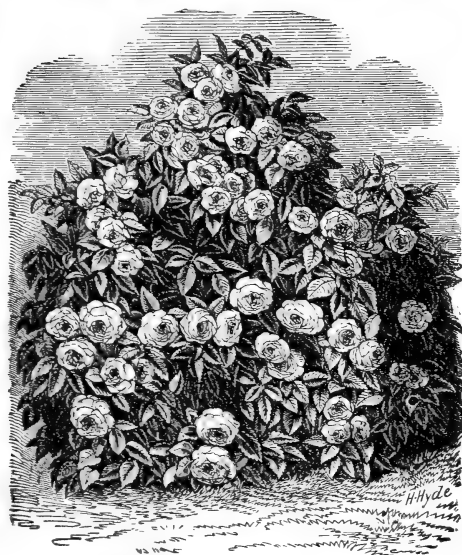
# LARGE TWO-YEAR-OLD TEA ROSES



ALL ARE MONTHLY OR EVER-BLOOMING.



ALL ARE EXTRA LARGE, STRONG, STOCKY, ROBUST  
PLANTS THAT WILL GROW AND BLOOM AT ONCE.



TWO-YEAR-OLD ROSE PLANTED OUT.

**WE** MAKE a specialty of growing extra large Two-Year-Old Roses, and we have again for this Spring the largest and finest Two-Year-Old Roses in our city. The proof of the pudding is in the eating of it. The proof of our assertion is in our ability to supply our customers with the largest, finest, and also cheapest Two-Year-Old Roses in Springfield. Try us for large Roses.

We know we shall please you.

**OUR THE CHAMPION COLLECTION OF TEN EXTRA LARGE SPECIAL TWO-YEAR-OLD ROSES FOR ONLY ONE DOLLAR. OFFER**

**F**OR ONLY ONE DOLLAR we will send you **TEN** of our **SUPERB, LARGE TWO-YEAR-OLD ROSES**, embracing only the very choicest and best everblooming varieties for bedding out, each one priced at 25c to 40c each at catalogue rates. The selection must be left to us, and we will send only strictly high grade Roses. All will be different, and all correctly labeled.

— THIS COLLECTION OF —

**TEN BIG ROSES**

must be sent by express. If ordered by mail, add 25 cents extra to help pay the postage.

No further discount on this offer.



TWO-YEAR-OLD HARDY ROSE.

**OUR IRON-CLAD COLLECTION OF**

**8 MAGNIFICENT HARDY HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES FOR \$1.00.**

This is a grand offer and should be taken advantage of by our patrons who desire a fine assortment of hardy Roses that remain out all Winter and increase in beauty from year to year. Each one of the eight will be perfectly hardy and include all the best colors **FROM PURE WHITE TO DARK CRIMSON.**

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# Five Famous Hardy Rambler Roses

## CRIMSON, PINK, WHITE, YELLOW AND ROSE

These are the most rapid growing Roses in existence and are quite hardy. See illustrations on opposite page.

OUR SPECIAL OFFER—We will send one very large strong plant of each of these grand hardy climbers for only 40 cents.

### THE YELLOW RAMBLER, *Aglala*.

This promises to supply that "long-felt want," a double yellow, hardy climbing Rose, a thing which has been sought after the world over. Related to Crimson Rambler, and, like it, blooms in large trusses, often bearing from 120 to 150 flowers in a cluster, lasting three or four weeks without fading. Very popular. Price, 10c each; very large two-year-old size, 30c each.

### THE WHITE RAMBLER, *Thalia*.

This charming new Rose of the Rambler variety is a wonder. It climbs rapidly; is entirely hardy; produces immense clusters of pure white Roses. Perfectly double, of delightful fragrance and of an immaculate white. The best white Climbing Rose extant. Price, 10c each; very large two-year-old size, 30c each.

### New Climbing Rose, *CRIMSON RAMBLER*.

The plant is of vigorous growth, making shoots from eight to ten feet during the season, rendering it a charming pillar Rose. It is also magnificent in bush form, and for covering buildings, trellises, etc., it cannot be excelled. One of the striking characteristics of this Rose is its remarkable color, which is of the brightest crimson, which remains undimmed to the end. The flowers are produced in great pyramidal panicles or trusses, each carrying from thirty to forty blooms, the individual flowers measuring from 1 to 1½ inches in diam-

eter, and remaining perfect on the plant for upwards of two weeks. It is exceedingly hardy, having successfully withstood the test in exposed situations of two very severe Winters. Hardy in every latitude yet tried as far north as the lakes. Price, 10c each; very large two-year-old size, 35c each.

### THE PINK RAMBLER, *Euphrosyne*.

This fine, hardy, climbing Rose is very vigorous, and easily reaches a height of 25 to 30 feet. The flowers are borne in clusters, as many as 60 being frequently found in a cluster; they are deep pink, quite full and exceedingly fragrant. We consider it one of the very best hardy climbing Roses, and it may be well called "Pink Rambler." Price, 10c each; very large two-year-old size, 30c each.

### *PSYCHE*, The New Rambler Rose.

Received the award of merit of the Royal Horticultural Society of England. A cross between Crimson Rambler and the Polyantha Rose, Golden Fairy. In growth and habit it much resembles the Crimson Rambler. The flowers are produced in clusters of eight to thirty-five and are two to two and a half inches across when fully expanded. The color is white, suffused with salmon rose and pink, with yellow base to the petals. A real companion to Crimson Rambler. The horticultural press of England gives it very flattering comment as described at the various exhibitions. Price, 20c each; large two-year-old plants, 35c each.

## The Four Hardy Ever-Blooming Hermosa Roses

We offer four of the Hermosa type of Roses. If you want to have rosebuds to cut all Summer, this set will give you an abundance.



THE WHITE HERMOSA.

### YELLOW HERMOSA, *Coquet de Lyon*.

This is a most charming yellow Tea Rose, a grand grower, has elegant buds, and is so free in flower as to be called the Yellow Hermosa. This is the best blooming pure yellow Rose in our catalogue. It is a Rose that will please all. Price, 10 cents each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each.

### CRIMSON HERMOSA, *Queen's Scarlet*.

This is, without doubt, the very best of all red Roses for bedding. It can be planted anywhere, being entirely hardy. The flowers are of large size and of a fiery scarlet, a color seldom seen in Roses. Indeed, a bed of this Rose produces a mass of red equal to a bed of Geraniums. It is planted everywhere on account of its color and freedom of bloom. None better. Try it. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each.

### WHITE HERMOSA, *Marie Lambert*.

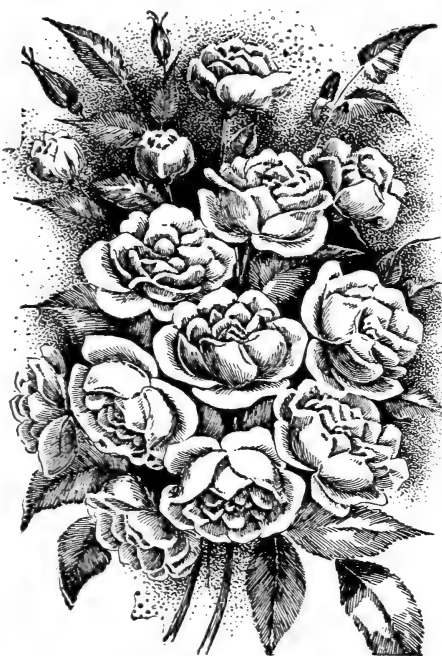
Pure white. It has been called the White Hermosa, as it resembles Hermosa in form and freedom of bloom, and is quite as valuable; for, though no claim has been made for it as a fancy Rose, its persistence in bloom will make it a very popular white variety for bedding or for pots. This Rose is fast becoming very popular, as there is no better white Rose. It is the finest blooming white Rose we offer. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each.

### PINK HERMOSA, *The Old Favorite*.

Everybody knows this famous variety. As hardy as an oak, and always covered with its elegant clear pink blooms. There is no shade of color of any kind to mar its purity. We doubt if any Rose ever grown will take its place. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each.

SPECIAL OFFER.—The four Hermosa Roses for 30 cents, or the four large two-year-old size for \$1.00.

# SPRAYS OR BLOSSOMS OF OUR FIVE FAMOUS HARDY RAMBLER ROSES



SPRAY OF WHITE RAMBLER.



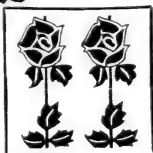
SPRAY OF YELLOW RAMBLER.

THE SET OF FIVE VERY  
STRONG PLANTS ONLY 40c

For Description ❀ ❀  
❀ ❀ See opposite page.



SPRAY OF PSYCHE.



SPRAY OF PINK RAMBLER.



**SIX BEST HARDY  
Ever-Blooming Climbing Roses.**

**The Set of Six for only 50 Cents.**

We have a great deal of inquiry about Hardy Climbing Roses that are constant bloomers. We offer in this collection the very best for this purpose. They are all entirely hardy, and are ever bloomers. In ordering say "Grand" Collection of Climbing Roses. All who want good, hardy, Climbing Roses should order this set.

**The Grand New Velvety-Red Rose, Climbing Meteor,** the Brightest Colored of all Roses—Climbing Meteor is the acme of all red climbing Roses. It is a free, persistent bloomer and will make a growth of from ten to fifteen feet in a season; in bloom all the time, as is a true ever-bloomer. We do not hesitate to place it at the head of the list of all the Roses for Summer blooming, as it will make a strong growth and is literally loaded with its deep, rich red flowers all the time. Its flowers are much larger than Meteor and are rich in color. It is just the Rose to train up the veranda or around windows, where its great beauty will show up to good advantage. Don't fail to plant one or more of Climbing Meteor. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each.

**The Mary Washington Rose**—A hardy perpetual blooming climber, producing large, double, snow-white blossoms in great profusion from June until frost. We hope in time to see it trailing over the door or gateway of every home in the land. Its flowers are pure white, perfectly double to the center, sweet, and borne in endless numbers all Summer. It is a vigorous grower. It makes a great profusion of fine buds, which are borne on long stems, and will produce more flowers and buds than a dozen ordinary Roses. Its fragrance is tinged with that old-fashioned musky flavor so much admired in olden times. We offer here fine, strong plants, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each.

**Alister Stella Gray**—This is a new climbing Rose of decided merit, and is classed by many as belonging to the Rambler section of Roses. We know it to be a grand Rose. Is a much better Rose for the South than the Yellow Rambler. You will make no mistake in buying it, as you will have a grand free-blooming climbing yellow Rose. It is a continuous bloomer, laden with bunches of Polyantha-like buds of orange yellow. 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each.

**The Lovely Apple-Blossom Rose, The Empress of China**—A new, hardy, ever-blooming Climbing Rose that blooms the first season—early, late and all the time—producing flowers which in form and color resemble apple blossoms. When it first opens the flowers are a beautiful red, but soon turn to a lovely light pink, and it blooms so profusely as to almost hide the plant. It is perfectly hardy and is a vigorous grower. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each.

**Climbing White Pet, the most Rapid-Growing and Freest-Blooming Climbing Rose in Existence**—It blooms like Crimson Rambler. The flowers are pure snowy-white in color, of medium size, very double and full, and are borne continuously throughout the season in trusses, after the fashion of Crimson Rambler. The flowers have the additional charm of being highly fragrant; they emit a cherry-like odor, both delicate and delicious. It will prove hardy in the coldest climate with moderate protection. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each.

**Reine Marie Henriette**—An excellent crimson flowered ever-blooming climber. The flowers are exquisitely formed, very full and double, nicely Tea scented; strong growing and very free flowering. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each.

**THE SET OF SIX LARGE TWO-YEAR-OLD PLANTS FOR \$1.50.**



The full set of five, ♣ ♣  
lovely La France Roses  
for only 40c. ♣ ♣ ♣ ♣ ♣  
The set of 5 in large 2-  
year-old plants for \$1.25

These are all perfectly hardy Roses  
blooming constantly, and have the  
most admirers of any Roses we  
grow. There are no better Roses  
than the La France Roses. A dis-  
tinctive characteristic of the set is  
the true La France fragrance, by  
which every one may be known.

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# LA FRANCE ROSES



PINK LA FRANCE.

**PINK LA FRANCE** It is of superb form, and double as a Rose can be. No variety can surpass it in delicate coloring—silvery-rose shades with pink. It has a satin sheen over all its petals. It is most universally regarded as the most useful of Roses, for it is hardy beyond question. It blooms continuously. The flower is large, finely built, endures for a great length of time, is exquisitely colored and fragrant in the highest degree. Price, 10c; large size, 30c.

**WHITE LA FRANCE** (Augustin Guinnoiseau) Here we have a beauty indeed; one we can recommend to all, whether for outdoor culture or for pots in the house in Winter. It is identical with La France except in color. It is pearly white, sometimes tinted with fawn. Price 10c each; large 2-year-old size, 30c.

**THE RED LA FRANCE** (Duchess of Albany) We have no hesitancy in saying to our customers that this rose stands at the head of all Roses, not excepting La France. What we wish to impress is the fact that as a Rose for all purposes, it has no peer. It is

identical with La France, excepting in three points. Those are: A more vigorous growth, a large and more expanded flower, and a deep, even pink in color; not shaded, but what is called a solid color. Price, 10c each; large 2-year-old size, 30c.

**YELLOW LA FRANCE** (Madame Pernet Ducher) A charming Rose; a new shade in this section, being the first with a distinct yellow colored bud. The outside petals are sulphur-yellow and assume a darker shade toward the center. The open flower is very graceful and holds well together. It is an ivory-white in color, with a polished, glistening surface like a water lily. Price, 15c each; large 2-year-old plants, 40c each.

**STRIPED LA FRANCE** (Madame Angelique Veyssset) The Striped LaFrance combines all the good qualities of a La France in growth, fragrance, shape of bud and flower; in fact, differs not from it except in color. It is nicely striped, the marking being plain and distinct, the variegation a beautiful bright Rose on a satin-pink ground. Price, 10c each; large 2-year-old size, 30c.

# **-SIX OF THE BEST PURE WHITE ROSES-**

**The Set of Six Pure White Ever-Blooming Roses for 50c.**  
**The Set of Six in Large Two-Year-Old Plants for \$1.25.**



THE ROYAL KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA.

## **NEW PURE WHITE ROYAL TEA ROSE KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA**

### **The Best White Rose in the World.**

This beautiful Rose has not only a royal name, but is a royal Rose as well. We have white Roses that have elegant buds, but when full blown are not all that is desired. Then again we have white Roses that are elegant when full blown, but have poor buds. This Rose combines both these good qualities. It is a continuous bloomer producing successive crops of buds, and formed with large petals of best substance; shows no center when fully open; color, pure creamy-white. It far surpasses any other white Rose in all particulars, and has a much richer perfume. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each.

## **NEW TEA ROSE, SNOW FLAKE**

It is a lovely new white Tea—the freest flowering Rose we have ever seen. The Rose was introduced by C. Strauss & Co., Washington, D. C., and by then grown in large quantities for cut flowers, they claiming it the most profitable white Rose they grow; that they had counted 153 buds and flowers on one plant in a single day, and the plant less than a year old. Nice young plants of this novelty for 10c each; large plants 25c each.

## **THE BRIDE**

This is undoubtedly the finest white Rose ever offered to the public, and we take great pleasure in recommending it to all our customers. It is a Rose that supplies a long-felt want. A few of the white, ever-blooming Roses now in commerce have beautiful double flowers, but none of them compare with The Bride in the size and shape of buds and half expanded flowers. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

## **MARIE GUILLOT**

We consider this variety the equal, if not the peer, of any Rose of its color in cultivation. A trial will convince any one that this endorsement is not extravagant. The flowers are full and extra large, very double and sweetly scented; has many rivals, but no equals for open ground cultivation. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

## **THE BEAUTIFUL NEW WHITE TEA ROSE WHITE MAMAN COCHET**

The finest Rose of the year. Like its parent, the growth is vigorous, with rich, healthy foliage, producing large, fine flowers of the purest white; in fact, it is an exact counterpart of the beautiful Maman Cochet, and all who have tried it pronounce it the finest bedding Tea Rose in existence. We would advise all who love choice Roses to plant at least one of this beautiful new Rose. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

## **THE QUEEN.**

It is a pure snow white, makes good, fine formed buds; is quite full, showing the center but slightly when fully open. The petals are thick and of good substance. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.



# Six Best Dark Red Roses.

THE SET OF SIX RICH RED ROSES IN STRONG PLANTS FOR ONLY 50c.

THE SET OF SIX IN LARGE TWO-YEAR-OLD PLANTS FOR \$1.25. - - -

## SCARLET BEDDER

This is, without doubt, the very best of all red Roses for bedding. It can be planted anywhere, being entirely hardy. Flowers are large size, fiery scarlet, a color rarely seen in Roses. Planted everywhere on account of its color and freedom of bloom. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

## THE METEOR

A velvety-red ever-bloomer of the deepest glowing crimson, as fine as a Hybrid. Flowers are of a medium size, very double and slightly recurving. A beautiful open Rose, a free bloomer, and a very excellent pot Rose. Has no tinge of violet or purple to mar its beauty. A vigorous, bushy grower, with healthy, bright foliage of the deepest green. Unquestionably the best dark velvety-red Rose yet produced. Grand, both in bud and flower. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

## PAPA GONTIER

A grand red Tea of fine crimson shade and silken texture (as distinct from velvety texture.) The bud is fine size and graceful in form. Extremely free, both in growth and bloom. Very long and beautifully leaved stems can be cut, the foliage being very dark, heavy. One of the best and a perfect bedder. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

## New Crimson Rose, PRINCESS SAGAN

The flowers of this variety are the richest crimson of any Rose in our vast collection. A single bud or blossom will catch the eye at a great distance, so brilliant is the color. Indeed, it is unmatched in its velvety richness; could well be termed "The Velvet Rose." It is as free in blooming as Bon Silene. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

## The Lovely New Red Rose, BALDWIN

One of the most remarkable Roses of recent date, as strong growing as the best of the Hybrid Perpetuals, with large, handsome foliage, flowers of the fullest form and largest size, which is equaled in profusion by no other Rose of its size that we have seen. The color is bright, glowing carmine. The bud is long and elegantly pointed. It is as sweet as a June Rose. Price, 15c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c.



THE BEAUTIFUL BALDWIN.

## The Grand New Bedding Rose, GRUSS AN TEPLITZ

As a bedding Rose this is one of the finest and most useful varieties ever sent out. The color is brightest scarlet, shading to deep, rich, velvety-crimson. It is very fragrant. The freest grower and the most profuse of any ever-bloomer. The mass of color produced is wonderful, and the foliage is extremely beautiful, all the younger growth being a bronzy plum color. A queen among scarlet bedders. It is a perfect sheet of richest crimson scarlet all Summer. Price, 15c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each.

# SIX BEST GOLDEN YELLOW ROSES

THESE ARE THE BEST OF  
ALL DEEP YELLOW ROSES  
AND ARE ALL STRONG  
GROWERS AND PROFUSE  
BLOOMERS.



NEW ROSE JOHANN WESSENHOFF.

THE SET  
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THE SET OF  
6 LARGE 2-  
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**\$1.25**

**THE BEAUTIFUL NEW ROSE—Johann Wessenhoff.** This is the finest grand bedding yellow Rose. It is a deep, golden-yellow, and is such a good bedding Rose that it is already called by some the Bedding Perle. It is certainly fine. Price, 15c each; large two-year-old plants, 35c each.

**THE COPPERY YELLOW ROSE—Mlle. Francis Kruger.** The striking color of this handsome Rose places it at once in the front as a bud producer in the open air. It is closely allied to Catherine Mermet, and resembles it in everything save color. In its shading of deep coppery-yellow it stands unique and distinct from all others. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old size, 25c each.

**THE DEEP GOLDEN YELLOW ROSE—Mlle. Cecile Berthod.** Most beautiful, both in bud and flower, which is deep golden yellow. In fact, the deepest yellow in color of any Rose we grow. The foliage is very bright. This is a Rose of magnificent size and color. Altogether a grand Rose and always in bloom. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each.

**THE GRAND BEDDING YELLOW ROSE—Star of Lyon, Etoile de Lyon.**—This magnificent Tea Rose is a rich golden-yellow; a strong, healthy and vigorous grower; immense bloomer, bearing flowers and buds early and late. The flowers are very deep, rich and full; excellent substance, very sweet. Surely one of the best and most beautiful yellow Tea Roses for general planting ever introduced. Remarkably hardy, both as to heat and cold, frequently standing the Winters here uninjured in open ground without protection, and blooming nicely all through the hottest part of the Summer. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

**THE QUEEN OF YELLOW ROSES—Pearl of the Gardens.** No yellow Rose in cultivation can equal this in its profusion of deep golden-yellow Roses. The only rival of Marechal Niel. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old size, 25c each.

**THE PROFUSE BLOOMING YELLOW ROSE—Coquette de Lyon.** Vigorous, rapid grower and constant bloomer. Pure canary yellow. 10c each; two-year-old, 25c.

If you are desirous of having yellow Roses we would advise you to plant the Roses named on this page. They are all well-known varieties, and every one has merits of its own entirely distinct from one another. ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀

# A Page of Famous New Roses

## THE BEST OF THE LAST TWO YEARS INTRODUCTIONS. ❀❀❀

**SPECIAL OFFER**—We will send any four of these new Roses for 50 cents, or the entire set of 18 Grand New Roses on this page for \$2.00. Any four in large two-year-old plants for \$1.00. No further discount.

### WHITE LADY. (Hybrid Tea.)

One of the startling new Roses of recent date. It has gigantic flowers with enormous magnolia-like petals; one of handsomest and most effective of Roses, and very distinct. The color is white, delicately flushed with pale pink; blooms are borne in great profusion on stiff stems, with heavy foliage. Longer stems would rank this with *American Beauty*, but we recommend it to every rose-forer for trial. In our local trade buyers have been carried away with its beauty, and are willing to pay a good price for the blooms. In England, the past year, it took first prize at the Chrystal Palace show for twelve blooms of any white Rose over *The Bride*, *Bessie Brown*, and others. Price, 20c each; two-year-plants, 40c each.

### GLADYS HARKNESS. (HYBRID TEA.)

Growth very erect and vigorous, reminding one of *American Beauty*; profuse in bloom, flowers large, formed like a fine H. P.; color deep salmon-pink; has a splendid constitution and is very fragrant. Price, 20c each; two-year-old plants 40c.

### JULES GIRODIT. (Hybrid Tea.)

Flowers very large and of good form. Rosy peach color shading to bright pink; very free. Magnificent in size and form. Price, 20c each; large size, 40c each.

### M. BUNEL. (Hybrid Tea.)

Flowers large, quite full, composed of very large outer petals diminishing in size toward the center; the open rose is of beautiful form, imbricated, and of rosy peach color shading to pale gold, bordered with bright rose. Price, 20c each; large size, 40c.

### RED HERMOSA. (Bengal.)

A seedling of *Hermosa*—*Reine Marie Henriette*; it is possessed of the vigor and other good qualities of *Hermosa*; with deeper green, glossy foliage; and beautiful dark carmine-red flowers, much the form of *Hermosa*; this is a delightful new variety and will certainly become very popular, as it cannot fail of proving useful. Price, 20c; large size, 40c.

### MARIE LOUISE POIRET. (Hybrid Tea.)

Bud long and pointed, flower very large; full and of splendid texture, the petals are large, outer edges fresh rose, center darker; very free; a seedling of *Caroline Testout*; *Marguise Litta*. Price, 20c each; large size, 40c.

### MME. LUCILE COULSON.

Rosy-flesh color, shading to pink and copper-yellow; flower of medium size, full, and nicely formed. A beautiful variety, seeded from *Kaiserina Augusta Victoria* x *Lucile*. This grand new Rose is without doubt the richest and most highly colored Rose in the world. There is nothing like it in our vast collection. Price, strong plants, 15c each; two-year-old plants, 25c.

### LADY CLANMORRIS. (Hybrid Tea.)

Perfectly distinct; a splendid rose, of very robust growth and free branching habit, flowering continuously and freely throughout the season; blooms very large and of good form, petal large, smooth and of great substance; creamy-white with delicate salmon-center, edge of the petals margined pink. Price, 20c each; large size, 40c.

### BEATRIX DE BUISSET. (Hybrid Tea.)

Bud extraordinarily beautiful; flower very large, quite full, of beautiful form and perfect texture; silvery rose and rosy-carmine; very free and fragrant. A seedling from *Mad. Caroline Testout*. Price, 20c each; large size, 40c.

### ROSOMANE GRAVEREAUX. (Hybrid Tea.)

This variety is of the general style of *Pres. Carnot*, with an enormous long bud, producing a very large, very double, open flower carried on a long, stiff stem; the petals are very large; color, silvery white, with reverse of rosy flesh; very fragrant and very free. Price, 20c each; large size, 40c.

### GRAND NEW ROSE FRANCO RUSSIA.

A new Rose of exquisite kind and color, ranked by many enthusiasts as the best yellow Tea Rose. The flowers are of large size, perfectly double to the center and perfect in shape both in bud and blossom. The color is magnificent—deep rich lemon yellow with creamy yellow center with tints of sulphur. It is beautiful beyond description. A strong healthy grower and one of the grandest Roses in this book. 15c each; two-year-old plants 30c.

### MARQUIS LITTA. (Hybrid Tea.)

This is a new French Rose, and is by all odds the very best new Rose that has been introduced in years. It resembles in color *American Beauty*. Buds and flowers of the largest size. It is a strong, vigorous grower, producing its handsome buds and flowers on long stems. It forces equal to *Bride* or *Bridesmaid*. Never comes "off color" or with misshaped buds. This is the nearest approach to the ideal forcing Rose. Don't fail to try this grand variety. 20c each; large two-year-old plants, 40c.

### SUNRISE,

#### A BEAUTIFUL NEW EVER-BLOOMING TEA ROSE.

SUNRISE is the most gorgeous Rose of its class yet introduced. This has made a sensation in England and has taken first honors wherever shown. In close bud form it shows the high brilliant colors seen only in the Austrian Copper, scarlet and yellow. As it opens the color deepens, the scarlet turning darker red, the yellow to orange and copper, the inside of the petal golden-yellow. The open Rose is large, perfectly double and of grand form. The foliage is glossy and thick, the new growths being the darkest and most beautiful found among Roses. The form and color of bud, its freedom of growth and bloom will give Sunrise a high place among Roses. Price, 15c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c.

### NEW HYBRID TEA ROSE. "LIBERTY."

One of the most sensational Roses ever introduced. The color is crimson scarlet, after the style of *Meteor*, but more brilliant. This variety has created a furor from ocean to ocean, and wherever exhibited has won first honors. The flowers are perfectly formed, being full, deep and double; very fragrant. This variety has the distinction of being the most costly Rose now known, the price of the original plants having been stated at \$7500.00. Magnificent in every way. 20c each; two-year-old plants, 40c.

### THE SPLENDID NEW TEA ROSE,

#### MRS. ROBERT GARRETT.

A beautiful large Rose of exquisite shape, finish and blending of colors. The flowers are large, on strong stems, clothed with heavy foliage. The buds are long and pointed in shape, and open up beautifully into a full, rounded flower. Color, a glowing shell pink, very deep in the center; the fragrance is delicate and pleasing. Price, 10c; two-year-old plants, 25c each.

### SOUV. DE ROSE TERREL.

Flower yellowish white with aurora and carmine shadings; large and full; plant strong growing and free blooming. 20c each; two-year-old plants, 40c.

### SOUV. PRESIDENT CARNOT. (Hybrid Tea.)

Large, full, double, exquisitely shaped flowers, with heavy, thick, shell-like petals. The buds are long and pointed like *Niphetos*—perfect in every line. The color is new, delicate rosy blush, shaded a trifle deeper at center of the flower. Fragrance delicious; strong grower and free bloomer; has no weak point. 15c each; two-year-old plants, 35c.

### MRS. MAWLEY. (Hybrid Tea.)

This grand variety embodies so many good qualities that it is difficult to describe it. We could say no more in its praise than to say it is like *Maman Cochet*, only several shades lighter in color. Price, 15c each; large two-year-old plants, 35c.

OUR POPULAR COLLECTION OF

# TEN HARDY EVER-BLOOMING ROSES

THIS A SPLENDID

BEDDING COLLECTION

FOR 50 CENTS

IT CANNOT

BE EXCELLED



We are constantly in receipt of inquiries from our customers for Roses that are ever-blooming and yet hardy. On this page we again offer a fine collection, combining these two qualities.



**We will send the entire set of ten very fine plants for only 50c. In splendid two-year-old plants, the set of ten for \$1.60.**

**New, Hardy, Ever-Blooming Rose, CHAMPION OF THE WORLD—**This Rose is the champion bloomer. It is also champion in form and color. Its blossoms are perfectly double to the center and of the most perfect shape both in buds and blossoms, while its color is a degree of loveliness which few Roses can equal, being a rich, deep, rosy pink, a shade the delicate richness of which is seldom seen. Its size is very large for an ever-bloomer, often as large and as fine as La France or the best of Hybrid Perpetuals. You will miss a beauty should you fail to get it.

**WHITE LA FRANCE—**(Augustine Guinoisseau) Here we have a beauty indeed, one we can recommend to all, whether for outdoor culture or for pots in the house in Winter. It is identical with La France, except in color. It is pearly white, sometimes tinted with fawn.

**SCARLET BEDDER—**This is without doubt the very best of all red Roses for bedding. It can be planted anywhere, being entirely hardy. Flowers are large size, fiery scarlet, a color rarely seen in Roses. Planted everywhere on account of its color and freedom of bloom.

**Hardy, Perpetual-Blooming Rose, MAD. CHARLES WOOD—**A true perpetual bloomer. Begins to bloom almost as soon as planted, and continues all through the season. The flowers are extra large, very double and full, and quite fragrant. Color a bright, fiery scarlet, passing to a fine rosy crimson, elegantly shaded with maroon. Very showy and handsome, and one of the best roses ever introduced for general planting.

**BALL OF SNOW (Boule de Neige)—**A finely formed, pure white Rose; occasionally shows light flesh when first opening. Beautiful shell-shaped petals, evenly arranged; flowers of good size.

**STRIPED LA FRANCE (Madame Angeline Veyssset)—**Striped La France combines all the good qualities of a La France in growth, fragrance, shape of bud and flower; in fact, differs not from it except in color. It is nicely striped, the marking being plain and distinct, the variegation a beautiful bright rose on a satin-pink ground. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old size, 30c.

**STAR OF LYON (Etoile de Lyon)—**This magnificent Tea Rose is a rich golden-yellow; a strong, healthy and vigorous grower; immense bloomer, bearing flowers and buds early and late. The flowers are very deep, rich and full, excellent substance, very sweet. Surely one of the very best and most beautiful yellow Tea Roses for general planting ever introduced. Remarkably hardy, both as to heat and cold, frequently standing the Winters here uninjured in open ground without protection and blooming nicely through all the hottest part of the summer.

**PINK LA FRANCE—**It is of superb form and double as a rose can be. No variety can surpass it in delicate coloring—silvery rose, shaded with pink. It has a satin sheen over all its petals. It is most universally regarded as the most useful of Roses, for it is hardy beyond question. It blooms continuously. The flower is large, finely built, endures for a great length of time, is exquisitely colored, and fragrant in the highest degree.

**THE METEOR—**A velvety-red ever-bloomer of the deepest glowing crimson. A vigorous, bushy grower, with healthy, bright foliage of the deepest green. Unquestionably the best dark velvety-red Rose yet produced.

Grand, both in bud and flower.

**YELLOW MOSELLA—**Is another novelty that has been wanted for some years. Who does not know the beautiful Clothilde Soupert, the splendid bedding Rose? Mosella is a stronger grower, flowers are a little larger than the Clothilde Soupert, but appear the same way in clusters and on single stems; the color is a chrome yellow in center, getting creamy white on the edges of the petals. It will make a great bedder and is perfectly hardy.

CHAMPION OF THE WORLD ROSES.

This Collection must be ordered complete, and when ordering please say **"THE HARDY TEN."**



**Our Ever - Popular  
Good Luck . . . .**

# Collection of Roses

INCLUDING THE RAREST NEW AND CHOICEST OLD

THIS SPLENDID COLLECTION OF TWENTY CHOICEST EVER-BLOOMING ROSES FOR ONLY \$1.00



This is a magnificent bedding collection of 20 choice ever blooming varieties. They are all strong and thrifty, and, above all, exceedingly well rooted. This collection must be ordered complete. It is sure to please you.



## MARIE GUILLOT, The Queen of White Roses

For out-door culture. It is first-class in every respect. The color is pure snow-white, sometimes faintly tinged pale yellow. The flowers are magnificently made, extra large, full and double; the buds are very pretty; fragrance very sweet.

## STAR OF LYON

A very free-flowering, deep yellow Rose; handsome buds and flowers; always in bloom.

## METEOR

A Hybrid Tea of rich velvety-crimson color, with intensely dark shading; a good grower; free bloomer.

## MARECHAL NIEL

Grown the-world over for its magnificent yellow flowers. Especially valuable in the South.

## WHITE MARECHAL NIEL

Identical with its famous parent, save in color, which is a beautiful creamy-white. A grand Rose.

## BRIDESMAID

(New.) This Rose is fast superseding Catherine Mermet; identical with it in growth and shape of flower, differing only in its color, which is the most charming pink imaginable.

## New Tea Rose, MAMAN COCHET

One of the best new Roses. The extra large flowers are produced on long stems, are very double, and the buds and half expanded flowers are simply exquisite in their graceful form, delicate color and rich fragrance. The color is a lovely rose-pink.

## MARIE VAN HOUTTE

Sometimes called "The Gem." Pale yellow, the edges of the petals often lined with rose; well formed, fragrant and of good habit. Very free blooming, and in every respect a most charming sort. One of the hardest and finest for out-door culture. Should be in every collection.

## SCARLET BEDDER

Intense deep, rich, velvety-scarlet, and a profuse bloomer. You make no mistake in purchasing this Rose.

## New Tea Rose, SNOW FLAKE

It is a lovely white Tea—the freest flowering Rose we have ever seen.

## New Hybrid Tea Rose, BALDUIN

One of the grandest Roses of recent date. The color is a bright, glowing carmine-red. The bud is long and elegantly pointed, and is as sweet as a June Rose. Produced in the greatest profusion all Summer. A most desirable acquisition.

## MAD. KRUGER

Probably the best all-round budding Rose we have. Its shadings of deep coppery-yellow stand unique and distinct.

## MRS. JOS. LAPERRIERE

Fine china rose color, with silver shadings; bud very long, on a firm stem; flower large, very fragrant and a fine grower.

## F. L. SEGERS

Flowers large and full; color carmine-scarlet, with tints of rose and yellow; odd mingling of colors; fragrant.

## SAFRANO

Grown for its beautiful buds. Color bright apricot-yellow, changing to orange and fawn, sometimes tinted with rose.

## CLOTHILDE SOUPERT

The best of all pot Roses; literally loaded with bloom at every stage of growth. Color beautiful pinkish amber, flushed with silvery rose with shades of salmon.

## DUCHESS DE BRABANT

This Rose combines exquisite perfume, beautiful coloring, and a matchless profusion of flowers and foliage. How shall we describe its coloring? Soft, light rose, with heavy shading of amber and salmon. Quite hardy, and in every respect it is admirable.

## MADAME SCHWALLER

A Hybrid Tea having the fragrance of La France and the firmness of the Hybrids, with the freedom of flowers of the Tea class. Rosy-carmine, sometimes deep rose. A most abundant bloomer.

## THE BRIDE

It is a pure white Rose of large size and most perfect form. This variety has the most delicious Tea fragrance; and is a strong-growing, free-blooming Rose.

## MOSELLA

The petals are tinted white, on beautiful light-yellow ground extending to the middle of the petals. The plant is dwarf, bushy and free blooming. A beautiful new Rose.



You cannot duplicate this splendid collection elsewhere for \$1. Try one. Good luck will surely attend your purchase. No discount on this collection





THE **FAMOUS**

# MARECHAL NIEL ROSES

RED, WHITE AND YELLOW VARIETIES.

**L**ARGE SIZED MARECHAL NIELS.—We grow the largest, best and strongest-rooted Marechal Niels in this or any other city. If you want the very best, try ours. They are large and nicely shaped, and, above all, they are exceedingly well rooted.



## OUR GREAT OFFER:

We will send one each of the RED, WHITE and YELLOW MARECHAL NIELS, strong, well-rooted plants, for only 25c; the three in large two-year-old plants for \$1.00.



### THE WHITE MARECHAL NIEL...

Identical with its famous parent, save in color. The fame of Marechal Niel, with its large, deep, golden-yellow flowers is so world-wide that nothing further need be said of this new variety to make it instantly popular than that it is the exact counterpart in every respect of Marechal Niel, its parent, save the color of flower, which is a pale, creamy-white. Totally distinct. This remarkable variety is selling at enormous prices in Europe, where it originated. We consider ourselves fortunate in possessing some of the original stock plants, procured direct from the introducer, from which our stock has been propagated. It is a rapid climber, and quickly makes a bush of considerable proportions.

For Southern cultivation it will be of great value, and as a companion plant to Marechal Niel we anticipate a splendid demand for it.

#### PRICE:

Strong plants, 10c each;  
large, two-year-old plants, 30c.



THE LOVELY YELLOW NIEL.



### THE YELLOW MARECHAL NIEL...

The World Renowned Rose.

A beautiful, deep, sulphur-yellow, very large and exceedingly fragrant. It is the finest yellow Rose in existence. It has a climbing habit and where it is allowed to grow until it attains a large size, as it will in a few years, it yields thousands of beautiful, golden-yellow flowers. Especially desirable for the South. We have a grand stock of this variety.

#### PRICE:

First size, 10c each; large and nicely shaped two-year-old bushes at 50c, and an extra strong, robust fellow, that will take care of himself anywhere—the best you ever got—\$1.00.

### THE RED MARECHAL NIEL...

This grand new Rose is a strong, vigorous grower; flowers large, full and of fine form; color a pure cherry-red and sweet-scented. A splendid Rose, and destined to become very popular. Offered for the first time last Spring.

#### PRICE:

15c each; large two-year-old plants, 50c.



NOTE—WE WOULD STRONGLY ADVISE ORDERING THE LARGE NIELS BY EXPRESS. SUCCESS IS THEN CERTAIN

## MID-WINTER COLLECTION OF EVER-BLOOMING ROSES

**ALL CHOICE KINDS.** We have made a selection of the very best Roses for Winter blooming, embracing a wide range of color. We can commend this collection to all who desire to grow Roses in the house during Winter.

PRICE FOR THE COLLECTION OF SIX CHOICE "MID-WINTER" BLOOMING ROSES ONLY 40c.

**DUCHESS DE BRABANT**—Sometimes called "Countess de la Barthe." Rosy-salmon, shaded amber, beautifully cupped and very fragrant; a wonderfully free bloomer; one of the best bedding Roses. Should be in the smallest collection.

**ISABELLA SPRUNT**—Flowers freely during the Winter. Flowers of the richest yellow color.

**PAPA GONTIER**—Deep red. Very free and very sweet.

**THE BRIDE**—The best Winter-blooming white Rose. Planted by the million by growers of cut flowers.

**BRIDESMAID**—This is a fit companion for the Bride. It is also planted by the million for Winter-blooming. The best deep pink Rose for the purpose.

**SAFRANO**—The old standby for a Winter-bloomer. Lovely saffron-colored buds of the most delicious fragrance.

**REMEMBER:** This entire collection of six "Mid-Winter" blooming Roses for only 40c. Or, these six "Mid-Winter" blooming Roses in two-year-old size for \$1.25.

**EVER .....  
BLOOMING****ROSES****CLIMBING  
VARIETIES**

Prices on these grand climbers are greatly reduced this Spring. In the South and Middle States, where they stand the Winter, nothing can compare with them for beauty and foliage. They are never to be forgotten when seen in full bloom loaded with thousands of magnificent flowers. Large two-year-old plants of Climbing Tea Roses, 25 cents each, except were noted.

**The Wonderful New Rose,  
Climbing Kaiserin, or****MRS. ROBERT PEARY**

This is by all odds the most remarkable new Rose of recent introduction. It is an offspring of that grand variety, Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. The flowers are extra large, full, deep and double. They are of excellent substance, and produced on long, stiff stems, like a forcing Rose. The buds are long and pointed, a remarkable feature not found in any other Climbing Rose. The color and shape of the bud and flower are identical with Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. Pure ivory-white. The foliage is also identical. The fragrance is delicious. The most remarkable feature of this variety, however, is that it blooms continuously the first year. It grows to perfection out doors, throwing up numerous shoots ten to fifteen feet high in a single season. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 35c each.

**REINE MARIE HENRIETTA**

This is the best climbing Rose in this set, and no collection would be complete in New Orleans or the South that did not comprise this, the grandest of all ever-blooming Roses. Extra large, finely formed flowers, very full and double, borne in clusters; color glowing crimson. Price, 10c each; large plants, 30c each.

**President Cleveland, or****CLIMBING MARIE GUILLOT**

This grand new Rose is known in different parts of the country under both the above names. Of a semi-climbing habit and is identical with Marie Guillot, the loveliest of all white Roses, except it is a climber. It is worthy a place in any flower garden. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 30c each.

**The Superb Scarlet Rose,****"CLIMBING WOOTON"**

This elegant new Climbing Hybrid Tea Rose is one which promises to be a prime favorite wherever introduced. Everything good that can be said of the grand Rose, Souvenir de Wooton, can be said of this Rose, and more too. The flowers are large and of a velvety red color, and the perfume is elegant. Whether open, half open, or in bud, the flowers are of fine shape. The flowers are borne at the terminus of long shoots, which renders them especially good for cutting, much better, in fact, than the flowers of its parent, Souvenir de Wooton. Price, 10c each; large size, 30c each.

**WILLIAM ALLEN RICHARDSON**

Orange yellow, with outer petals lighter, center a copy yellow, very rich, rapidly becoming popular. All Rose growers, where the climbing Teas are hardy, should plant this beautiful Rose, as it is a unique and lovely shade of yellow. Something entirely distinct in Climbing Roses. Price, 10c each; two-year old plants 25 cents.

**Ten Beautiful Ever-Blooming Roses for Cemetery Planting for 50c**

Any three for 25 cents. Price per single plant, 10 cents. In large two-year-old plants we will send you the full collection for \$2.00

WE HAVE frequent inquiries as to the best varieties of ever-blooming Roses for cemetery planting, and we here give a select list that is just adapted for this purpose. In northern latitudes they ought to have a covering of forest leaves in Winter. In ordering, simply say "Ever-blooming Cemetery Collection."

**GLOTHILDE SOUPERT**

One of the most prolific bloomers in our entire list and admirably adapted for out-door bedding. Beginning to flower when not over four inches high and continues without intermission the entire season. Price, 10c each.

**MARIE GUILLOT**

Perfection in form, flowers large and double to the center. This holds first rank among white double Tea Roses in purity of color and depth of petals. Best white Tea Roses for out-door bedding. Price, 10c each.

**MARIE LAMBERT**

A strong, vigorous grower with small pure white flowers; has been called White Hermosa, as it resembles Hermosa in form and freedom of bloom; a valuable bedding variety. Blooms all Summer long. Price, 10c each.

**MOSELLE**

The petals are tinted white, on beautiful light yellow ground extending to the middle of the petals. The plant is dwarf, bushy and free blooming. A beautiful new white Rose. Price, 10c each.

**World-Renowned Rose,****YELLOW MARECHAL NIEL**

A beautiful deep sulphur-yellow, very full, very large and exceedingly fragrant. It is the finest yellow Rose in existence. It has a climbing habit, and where it is allowed to grow until it attains a large size, as it will in a few years, it yields thousands of beautiful golden-yellow flowers. Especially desirable in the South. We have a grand stock of this variety. Price, first size, 10c each; large and nicely shaped two-year-old plants, 50c each.

**CLIMBING BELLE SIBRECHT**

Identical with Belle Sibrecht, except that it is a vigorous climber. Its delicate, bright pink flowers measure five to six inches in diameter. A gem. Price, 15c each; two-year-old plants, 35c each.

**New Ever-blooming Rose,****CLIMBING MALMAISON**

A sport from the well-known Souv. de la Malmaison, similar in flower and foliage to its parent, but of exceedingly robust climbing habit. There is no finer Rose than the old well-known Malmaison, or "Souvenir" of the South, and we are sure that our patrons, one and all, will be glad to hear that we have a climbing variety that is identical with the parent. First time offered. The variety will prove of inestimable value to all lovers of fine climbing Roses. It will prove perfectly hardy south of Washington, D. C. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

**CLOTH OF GOLD, OR CHROMATELIA**

A clear, golden-yellow bronze; very full and double; highly fragrant; much prized in the South for pillars and verandas. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 25c each.

**SOLFATERRE**

Fine, clear sulphur yellow; large, full and double; very sweet. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 25c each.

**LAMARQUE**

Large, full flowers; borne in large clusters; pure white and double; a most beautiful Rose. A rampant climber. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 25c each.

**CLIMBING DEVONIENSIS**

White, flushed pink; pure Magnolia fragrance. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 25c each.

**WHITE MARECHAL NIEL**

Identical with the yellow Niel, except color of flowers, which are pure white. See page 9 for description. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 35c each.

**MARIE VAN HOUTTE**

A beautiful and prolific Rose; white, lemon-yellow. It is also a fine grower. Price, 10c each.

**BALL OF SNOW**

In the "Ball of Snow" we have a Rose of large size, which is perfectly double, exquisitely fragrant, pure white color and entirely hardy. It is invaluable for cemetery or other planting where white flowers are desired. Price, 10c each; large plants, 25c each.

**THE BRIDE**

It is a pure white Rose of large size and most perfect form. This variety has the most delicious tea fragrance, and a strong growing, free-blooming Rose. Price, 10c each.

**SNOW FLAKE**

A charming sort; there is no better white Rose; its persistence in bloom makes it very popular for cemetery planting. Price, 10c each.

**THE QUEEN**

It is pure snow-white, makes good finely formed buds, is quite full, showing the center but slightly when fully open. The petals are thick and of good substance. Price, 10c each.

**MADAME JOSEPH SCHWARTZ**

White, beautifully flushed with delicate pink; a delightful Rose that is sure to please. Price, 10c each.



# Choicest Everblooming Tea Roses

## At Only Six Cents Each

When TEN OR MORE are ORDERED at ONE TIME.

A SPENDID OPPORTUNITY TO GET THE CHOICEST ROSES OF YOUR OWN SELECTION AT LESS THAN HALF PRICE. MANY OF THEM ARE NEW AND RARE.

**P**URCHASERS may select from this and following two pages any 10 ROSES FOR ONLY SIXTY CENTS; ANY TWENTY FOR ONE DOLLAR. Price per Single Plant, Eight Cents Each, except where priced otherwise. Large Two-Year-Old Plants, Twenty Cents Each, except where priced otherwise.

### Star of Gold.

One of the finest of yellow Roses, and also one of the best out-door bedders. As large as Marechal Niel and of deep chrome-yellow color. Price, 10c each; large size, 25c.

### The Queen.

It is pure snow-white, makes good, finely formed buds, is quite full, showing the center but slightly when fully open. The petals are thick and of good substance, opens well, is very sweet, and has proved valuable both for forcing and open ground planting. A valuable acquisition to our list of pure white, everblooming Roses. Price, 10c each; large, two-year-old plants, 25c.

### Pierre Migron.

A very delicate shade of light pink. This is a very beautiful new Rose, and will become a great favorite. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c.

### Bon Silene.

Still a prime favorite on account of its delightful fragrance and strong growing qualities; color, deep rose, shaded carmine. Valuable for Summer or Winter flowers. Price, 10c each; large size, 25c.

### Maid of Honor.

It is a sport from Bridesmaid, and is several shades deeper than that variety. Its connection with the Mermet family of Roses would indicate its worth. Flowers borne on long stems in form somewhat larger and exceeding in size and number of its petals. Color carmine-pink (when we say carmine we mean all that the word implies), shaded brilliantly on the outside petals, color increasing in intensity toward the end of the petal, and approaching the center of the bud each petal increases in intensity of color. Price, 8c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c.

### Mad. Joseph Schwartz.

A lovely Tea Rose; extra large, globular flowers, very full and sweet; color pure white, tinged and shaded with pale yellow and rosy-blush; very beautiful Rose; constant and profuse bloomer. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 25c.

### Antoine Weber.

Very perfect in bud; flower large and very full; color, "hydrangea pink." A very free grower, and recommended as a fine bedder. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 30c.

### The Superb Yellow Rose, Marechal Niel. The Most Popular of All.

A Rose so famous as to really require no description. Its magnificent golden-yellow buds are worn the world over. Price, 10c each. Splendid, large two-year-old plants, 50c.



BLOOMS OF MURIEL GRAHAM.

### Muriel Graham.

The latest addition to the Mermet family, being a sport from that fine variety identical with it in everything save color, which is creamy-white, suffused with delicate pink. A color intermediate between Mermet and Bride, and as dainty as possible to imagine. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 25c.

### Climbing Meteor.

This Rose has gained a world-wide reputation as the finest crimson everblooming climbing Rose in cultivation. It is rich, velvety-crimson, much like the forcing Rose Meteor, of which it is a sport. An extremely strong growing variety, making shoots 12 to 15 feet long in a single season under favorable circumstances. South of the Ohio river it would be perfectly hardy, while in the extreme north it could be laid on the ground and covered with leaves or straw and will carry through nicely. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 30c.

### Madame Husson.

A light colored Rose with yellow center, like Madame Caroline Kuster, only deeper and richer. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 25c.

### Mad. Lambard—A Good Bedding Rose.

A first-class Rose for bedding; extra large, full flowers, very double and sweet; color a beautiful shade of rosy-bronze passing to salmon and fawn, beautifully shaded with carmine. An elegant Rose, of vigorous habit of growth; very free and constant bloomer. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

### Comtesse Lily Kinsky.

A strong, vigorous grower, bearing large, full flowers of fine, regular form; color white, delicately tinged with blush; chamois yellow center; very sweet and pretty. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

### The Bridesmaid.

Grand new sort from Mermet. Color, rich, deep pink. Best and largest pink Tea Rose. Price, 10c each; large size, 20c.

### Madame Camille.

Delicate rosy-flesh, changing to salmon-rose. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

# CHOICE ROSES AT SIX CENTS EACH (When Ten Are Ordered.) (at One Time—Continued.)

## Lucie Faure.

Flower large and full, of good substance and ivory-white. The buds are long, and held on good stems; large outer petals diminishing in size to the center. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c.

## Golden Gate.

A magnificent Rose with large, full, finely-formed flowers; buds long and beautiful. Color rich, creamy-white tinged with golden yellow and clear rose. A free blooming beautiful variety. Price, 10c each; large size, 25c.

## Safrano.

An old favorite. Bright apricot-yellow, changing to orange and fawn, frequently tinted with rose. Desirable for out-door planting and much prized for its fragrance and nicely shaped bloom. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Queen's

## Scarlet.

In this variety we have a hardy, ever-blooming crimson-scarlet Rose, a combination of qualities that make a valuable Rose for garden culture; a bed once established is a mass of bright scarlet bloom the entire blooming season. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Marie Guillot.

White, tinged with a delicate shade of lemon; large, full and beautifully imbricated in form; one of the finest white Teas; the perfection of form in Tea Roses; highly fragrant. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Marie Van Houtte.

Creamy-white, with the outer petals washed and outlined with a bright rose; occasionally the whole flower is suffused with light pink. This beautiful variety succeeds everywhere. It grows vigorously, blooms freely, and is most deliciously scented. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Mad. Martha DuBourg.

Habit and foliage beautiful; the flower is large, perfectly double and of rounded form; the outer petals recurve at the edges, showing a nicely pointed center; the color is creamy-white, touched with carmine or pale heliotrope on the edges; texture heavy. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Madame Welche.

Flowers of great depth; fine globular form, with broad, thick petals; color a beautiful shade of amber-yellow, deepening toward center to orange or coppery-yellow, delicately clouded with pale crimson. Fine for open ground. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c.

## New Climbing Rose, Carmine Pillar.

This is a lovely new Rose, producing flowers from three and one-half to four inches across, semi-double, of the brightest possible scarlet-carmine, as rich as Douglas and produced very abundantly, the display lasting through most of the season, perfectly hardy, one of the very finest ornamental climbing Roses of the freest growth. Price, 8c each; large, two-year-old plants, 25c.

## F. L. Segers.

Flower large and full; color carmine-scarlet, with tints of rose and yellow; odd mingling of colors; fragrant. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c.

## Sylph.

Ivory-white, tinted peach; large, high centered, with deep, stiff petals, erect, free habit; foliage beautiful, very free in bloom. A fine, new Rose. Price, 15c each; two-year-old plants, 30c each.

## Antoine Rivore.

Flowers large and of Camellia-like form; clear, rosy-flesh, shading to yellow, shaded and lined bright carmine. A superb variety and very free. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 30c.

## New Yellow Soupert, Mosella.

It blooms in profuse clusters of three to five flowers, which are very double, ball shaped, and open like a Camellia flower. The petals are tinted white, on beautiful light yellow ground extending to the middle of the petals. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Devoniensis.

Creamy-white, center yellow. Large, fine and very fragrant. Sometimes called "Magnolia Rose" on account of its delightful fragrance. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Queen Olga of Greece.

A very strong grower, with large flowers of magnificent satin-rose color and is extremely fragrant. When fully open, four and a half inches across. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 35c.

## Meteor.

We have no red Rose that is better for general purposes or that gives as

many perfect shaped flowers on nice, long stems. The color is rich, velvety-crimson, exceedingly bright and attractive. The plant is of vigorous growth and very free flowering; a constant bloomer. Fine for Summer bedding or pot culture. Price, 10c each; large size, 25c.

## Mad. Schwallier.

A remarkable Rose, having the strength and style of the Hybrid Perpetual and the free-flowering qualities of the Tea. Color, deep, rosy-flesh; deepening on edge of petals. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Mad. Etienne.

A delicate pink, shaded deeper at edge of petals. Flowers large and very double; produced freely. Price, 10c each; large size, 25c.

## The Bright Rose, Isabella Sprunt.

A bright canary-yellow, large, beautiful buds, suitable for cut flowers; a very sweet tea scent; profuse bloomer. It is no doubt the freest bloomer of all yellow Roses. This variety has been a favorite in all gardens where good yellow Roses are planted for the past twenty years. There are none better. Price, 10c each; large size, 20c.

## Souvenir de Catherine Guillot.

Coppery-rose. Very fine. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Rainbow.

Color a lovely shade of deep coral-pink, striped and mottled in the most unique manner with intense crimson, and elegantly colored with rich golden-amber at center and base of petals. Flowers extra large. Price, 8c each; large, two-year-old plants, 25c.

## Marquis De Vivens.

The color is a novel shade of rich violet, with center and base of petals creamy yellow, exquisitely tinted salmon and fawn. Large, full flowers; sweet. Constant and profuse bloomer. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.



GOLDEN GATE BLOOMS.

# CHOICE ROSES AT SIX CENTS EACH (When Ten Are Ordered) (at One Time—Continued.)

## Papa Gontier.

An excellent crimson Tea, and one of the best for all purposes. It has a perfect shaped bud on good length of stem, making it desirable for cut flowers, and when planted outside the flowers open up nicely and are of an attractive carmine crimson; should be included in every collection of Roses. Price, 8c each; large size, 25c.

## Maman Cochet.

One of the best new Roses. The growth is vigorous, with rich, healthy foliage. The extra large flowers are produced on long stems, are very double, and the buds and half-expanded flowers are simply exquisite in their graceful form, delicate color and rich fragrance. The color is deep rose-pink, the inner side of the petals silvery-grey. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c.

## A Lovely New Rose, Lady H. Grosvenor.

(Hybrid Tea.) Flowers beautiful flesh color, large, full and globular. An exceedingly free flowering Rose, and a splendid sort for forcing. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Snowflake.

A strong, vigorous grower with small, pure white flowers. Has been called White Hermosa, as it resembles Hermosa in form and freedom of bloom. A valuable bedding variety. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Wonderful New Climbing Rose,

### Empress of China.

This is a new Climbing Rose of the greatest excellence. It commences to bloom in May, and is loaded with its elegant blooms until December. There is no other Rose like it that will bloom for so long a time. It is simply wonderful. When it first opens the flowers are a beautiful red, but soon turn to a lovely light pink, and it blooms so profusely as to almost hide the plant. It is perfectly hardy and is a vigorous grower. Price, 8c each; large size, 25c.

## Mad. Franciska Kruger.

Probably the best all round bedding Rose we have. Its shadings of deep, coppery-yellow stand distinct and unique. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Enchantress.

Creamy-white, tinted buff at the center; large, full and globular; of vigorous growth and extremely free in bloom; very distinct and effective; recommended by the raiser for pot culture and for winter bloom. Price, 10c each; large, two-year-old size, 25c.

## Medea.

Flowers bright lemon-yellow, with canary-yellow centers. Very full buds, with high centers; foliage dark and thick in color like Perle. This variety produces most of its buds of immense size and very double. Texture firm and heavy, models of what a Tea Rose should be. Price, 8c each; two-year-old plants, 25c.

## The Mary Washington Rose.

This famous old Rose was newly introduced to the public recently. Its flowers are pure white, perfectly double to the center, sweet, and borne in endless numbers all Summer. It is a vigorous and rapid grower. It makes a great profusion of fine buds, which are borne on long stems and usually in large clusters. Its fragrance is tinged with that old fashioned musky flavor so much admired in olden time. Price, 10c each; large size, 25c.

## Beaute Inconstant.

(The Rose of many colors.) A single plant will bear flowers ranging in color from coppery-yellow, blush-pink, carmine and apricot to light crimson. The bud is especially fine, being a coppery orange-scarlet, all the variations of color are to be found in the open flower. Price, 10c each; large size, 25c.

## Princess Venosa.

A strong grower, producing a long bud; flower large, moderately large and beautifully formed; color nankeen-yellow, with shadings of carmine; a most remarkable combination of colors. Price, 8c each; large size, 25c.

## Mrs. DeGraw.

Hybrid Tea. A strong, vigorous grower; a rich, glossy pink color, delightfully fragrant, and produces flowers in abundance from early Spring until frost. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Mme. Pierre Guillot.

Tea. One of the most beautiful Mermet-like buds; cream color, shading to a yellow base; edges of all petals bright rose color; the form of bud extra fine, and flowers are freely produced. Price, 10c each; large size, 20c.

## Agrippina.

Rich, beautiful crimson; beautiful in bud. For bedding it is unsurpassed. Few Roses are so rich in color. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c each.

## The Bride.

A lovely pure white Rose of the Mermet type. It is very full and double, free flowering and excellent either for forcing or for Summer planting. Price, 10c each; large size, 20c.

## General De Tartas.

A first-class Rose for bedding. Brilliant carmine, deeply shaded with violet-purple; extra large; very double, full and fragrant. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Clothilde Soupert.

The best of all pot Roses; literally loaded with bloom at every stage of growth. Color, beautiful pinkish amber, flushed with silvery-rose with shades of salmon. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## J. B. Varonne.

There is no question about this being a truly splendid Rose. It has the form, color and substance of those very choice and valuable varieties which only come occasionally. Superb, elongated buds and extra large vase-shaped blooms; color intense scarlet-crimson, very rich and bright, and beautifully shaded salmon-yellow or buff-rose at center; exceedingly beautiful, very sweet and a constant bloomer. Price, 10c each; large size, 25c.

## Madame De Watteville.

The color is a remarkable shade of creamy-yellow, richly colored with rosy-blush. The petals are large and each one widely bordered with bright crimson, which gives it a very striking and beautiful appearance. The flowers are large, very full and highly perfumed. For planting in the open ground Madame de Watteville takes front rank, being a hardy vigorous grower, a profuse bloomer and unsurpassed for cutting. Price, 10c each; large size, 20c.

## Louis Richard.

A superb Rose imported from France; extra large size; splendid, full form, very double; delicious Tea scent; color, rich, coppery-rose, changing to buff, shaded with carmine; center sometimes brilliant rosy-crimson. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Christine De Noue.

The new Tea Rose and one that is particularly valuable, because red has always been a scarce color among Tea Roses, and this one seems exceptionally fine. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## The Beautiful New Pink Soupert.

This bright new Rose is a very free flowering variety, much resembling Hermosa, but more double and flowering more freely. It shows the Polyantha blood in the full cluster of bloom and it will make a handsome contrast, bedded or grown with the C. Soupert. The flowers are not quite so large, full and handsome as our original Soupert, but fill a place because of their brightness and freedom. The habit of the plant is almost identical with C. Soupert. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Mad. Caroline Custer.

Bright lemon-yellow; very large and handsomely shaped; one of the finest Roses; very free flowering. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## James Sprunt.

A grand Rose. Deep cherry-red; medium size, full, double and sweet. A strong grower and profuse bloomer. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Catherine Mermet.

One of the finest Roses grown. Its name is the synonym for all that is delicate and beautiful. Its buds are inimitable, faultless in form and charming in every shade of color, from the purest silvery-rose to the exquisite combining of yellow and rose, which illumines the base of the petals. It is, beyond doubt, the Rose of all the Roses, and you should not fail to have a Mermet in your collection. Price, 8c each; large size, 20c.

## Joseph Metrel.

Extra large flowers, very full, handsome and sweet; deep carmine red, passing to cherry-carmine or magenta. A good, healthy grower and abundant bloomer. Price, 8c each; two-year-old plants 20c.

## Jules Finger.

A magnificent Rose; elegant and valuable; the color is bright rosy-scarlet, beautifully shaded with intense crimson. Price, 8c; large size, 20c.

# BLACK AND WHITE HARDY ROSES

The wonderful contrast between these beautiful Roses must be seen to be appreciated. Order a set of each and see how lovely they are.



PURE WHITE ROSE, COQUETTE DES BLANCHES.

## Three Lovely Black Roses

These are exceedingly beautiful—the darkest of all Roses. Set of three for only 25 cents. The three in large two-year-old size, only 75 cents.

### Prince Camille de Rohan

A very dark, rich, velvety crimson, passing to intense maroon, shaded black. Large, full flowers, looking at a little distance as if they were really black. One of the darkest Roses and very handsome. Price, 10c each; large size, 30c each.

### Souv. de Duchere

A superb Rose; extra large, compact flowers; very full, double and sweet. Color a beautiful and brilliant scarlet, deepening to dark, glowing crimson. Very rich and handsome. Price, 10c each; large size, 30c each.

### New Rose, Black Prince

A superb Hybrid Perpetual Rose, dark black red, richly shaded with violet-crimson; extra large. Price, 10c each; large size, 30c each.



THE MAGNIFICENT ROSE, BLACK PRINCE.

## Three Beautiful Pure White Hardy Roses.

These are nice sorts to plant in the cemetery, as they are perfectly hardy. The set for only 25c. Large two-year-old size, the set, 75 cents.

### Mad. Alfred de Rougemont

A strong, vigorous grower; begins to bloom at once and continues until stopped by severe freezing. Pure snow-white flowers, finely tinged and clouded with pale rosy, bluish, large, full and double and borne in large clusters; fragrant and good. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old size, 30c each.

### Coquette des Blancches

One of the finest white Hybrid Perpetuals. Its flowers are large-pure snow white, very double, full and fragrant. A constant bloomer. One of the best. Price, 10c each; large two year-old size, 30c each.

### Madame Plantier

The iron-clad white cemetery Rose. It bears thousands of beautiful snowy-white, fragrant Roses. It is as hardy as an oak. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 30c.

# Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses

OF SPECIAL MERIT.

**H**YBRID PERPETUALS are considered the most valuable of all hardy plants. They are distinguished by their vigorous upright growth and large, bold flowers, frequently measuring five to six inches in diameter. They thrive and succeed in all localities and are entirely hardy in any part of the country, and will live through severe Winters with a light protection of leaves or coarse manure. Some varieties do not bloom until the second year, but when fully established they all bloom freely at the usual time, early in the season, and continue to bloom during the Summer and Autumn months. Hybrid Perpetuals will bear a considerable amount of hardship and neglect, but improve greatly with good cultivation and rich soil. They should invariably be planted in open ground, as they are not suitable for house culture.

These Roses are especially suited to plant in all Northern States and Territories; also in the colder parts of the States of Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, North Carolina, Arkansas, Missouri.



GENERAL JACQUEMINOT.

Our Northern friends should plant these Roses. They increase in size and beauty each succeeding year. The varieties listed are the cream of the Hybrids. None better.

## A MAGNIFICENT OFFER.

**Our Iron-Clad Collection of Eight Splendid Large Two-Year-Old Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses for \$1.00.**

**T**HESE are the Roses that agents and nurserymen charge 50 cents and \$1.00 for. Each one of the eight will be quite hardy, our own selection, and include only the very best varieties and colors, from pure white to dark crimson. This collection must be sent by express. If ordered sent by mail add 25 cents extra to help pay postage. When ordering this collection, please say "Iron Clad Collection of Two-Year-Old Roses." No further discount on this offer.

### HARDY ROSE, GENERAL JACQUEMINOT

A rich velvety-crimson, changing to scarlet-crimson. A magnificent Rose, equally beautiful in the bud state or open. This is the best known of all Hybrid Perpetuals, and is without a rival in fragrance and richness of color. It is, moreover, as easy of cultivation as many of the more common varieties, and perfectly hardy. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each. (See cut.)

### LEOPOLD PREMIER

A dark, rich crimson. A fine, large Rose, very full and sweet; free bloomer, very beautiful and valuable. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

### MADAMOISELLE MARIE RADY

A clear, bright red, finely pencilled with rich maroon; very large, full flowers, fragrant and beautiful. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

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## HARDY ROSES—Continued.

**MARIE BAUMANN**

A bright carmine. Flowers very large and of exquisite form; free bloomer. In every way one of the finest Roses grown. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 25c.

**JOHN HOPPER**

One of the most reliable and satisfactory Hybrid Perpetuals ever grown. Flowers are large, very regular and full. Color a brilliant rose, changing to a bright, glowing pink, shaded with rich scarlet. Very sweet. Profuse bloomer. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 25c each.



THE BEAUTIFUL ROSE  
CAPTAIN CHRISTY.

**CAPTAIN CHRISTY**

The flowers are of magnificent form, very double and stand erect in their martial bearing. The color is a fresh, delicate pink, with deeper shading in the center of the flower, the whole flower possessing a bright, satiny appearance. A desirable variety. Certainly the most beautiful Rose of this color we grow. It is a free bloomer. Price, 15 cents each; large two-year-old plants, 30c each. (See cut.)

**DINSMORE**

It is a vigorous, healthy Rose of dwarf, branching habit, and is simply loaded with flowers all Summer long, being even more profuse than most of the tender ever-blooming Roses. The flowers are large, perfectly double, and of a dazzling scarlet-crimson color, and have the rich, spicy fragrance peculiar to the best Hybrid Roses. We recommend it as being the finest garden Rose ever offered. Price, 10c each.

**FRANCOIS LEVET**

A very beautiful Rose. Soft, china pink, delicately shaded carmine and blush; large, finely-formed flowers, delightfully fragrant. Price, 10c each; large size, 25c each.

**GENERAL WASHINGTON**

This magnificent Rose is one of the best for general planting. Color a brilliant, shining crimson, very rich and beautiful; flowers are large and perfectly double. A free and regular bloomer. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

**ROGER LAMBERLIN**

A remarkable Rose with irregular edge, much like a double Petunia. The color is glowing crimson throughout, except the edge of petals, which are distinctly marked with a white band. Price, 10c each; two-year-old plants, 30c.

**LADY EMILY PEEL**

Very sweet; color white, sometimes tinged and shaded with blush. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

**GLOIRE DE LYONAISE**

This grand Rose is the only yellow Hybrid Perpetual we have. It cannot be called deep yellow, but rather a pale shade of chamois or salmon-yellow, deepest at the center, sometimes passing to a rich, creamy white, finely tinted orange and fawn. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old size, 30c.

**PERFECTION DES BLANCHES**

A finely-formed, pure white Rose; occasionally shows a light flesh when first opening; beautiful shell-shaped petals, evenly arranged. Flowers of good size and finely formed. Price, 10c each, large plants, 25c each.

**DOCTOR HOGG**

Deep violet-crimson, richly shaded with maroon; shell-shaped petals, full, compact form, very double and desirable. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

**LOUIS VAN HOUTTE**

A rich crimson, heavily shaded with maroon; beautifully formed and double flowers. Price, 10c each; large size, 25c.

**NEW HARDY ROSE, MARCHIONESS OF LORNE**

This beautiful Rose, dedicated by special permission to Her Royal Highness, the Princess Louise, Marchioness of Lorne, produces flowers of exceedingly rich, fulgent rose color, slightly shaded in the center with vivid carmine. They are large and very sweet, full and of finely cupped shape. Petals large and buds long and handsome. Price, 10c each; large two-year-old plants, 25c each.

**MADAME PLANTIER**

The iron clad white cemetery Rose. This is the old standby, and is unequalled where a hardy white Rose is needed. It bears thousands of beautiful snowy-white fragrant Roses. It is as hardy as an oak. Price, 10c; two-year-old plants, 30c.

**A GREAT OFFER—**You May select any eight of the above Grand Hardy Roses on this and preceding page for a remittance of 50c. Nice, strong, well-rooted plants



## OUR POPULAR "ZERO" COLLECTION



OF

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The entire set of **TWELVE MAGNIFICENT VARIETIES**  
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30c. Set of twelve in large two-year old size, \$1.75.

#### General Jacqueminot.

Too well known to require lengthy description. It still holds first place among the dark red Roses, and is one of the most satisfactory to grow. A rich crimson scarlet, simply a mass of bloom when at its best.

#### Mad. Chas. Wood.

Continuous blooming and large sized flowers; color rich, bright crimson.

#### La Reine.

A beautiful, clear, bright Rose; fine, full form; very fragrant. It is well named "The Queen."

#### Giant of Battles.

This is still esteemed as the very best rich red Rose. Very large, double, full and sweet; excellent.

#### Ball of Snow. (Boule de Neige.)

A finely formed pure white Rose; occasionally shows light flesh when first opening. Beautiful shell-shaped petals, evenly arranged; flowers of good size.

#### Rosy Morn.

A lovely name and a magnificent Rose. Extra large size very double, full and deliciously sweet. Color an exquisite salmon-rose, shaded with delicate peachy-rose, suffused with soft, rosy-crimson.

#### Hardy Rose, White Paeony.

This Rose was sent us by one of our customers. She did not know the name of it, but called it the White Paeony from its resemblance to that beautiful flower. We have never seen anything in the Rose line like it. The flowers are satiny-white, with a delicate shell-pink tinge. It makes large, spherical balls, and when seen in bloom is not soon forgotten. Very beautiful and entirely hardy.



HARDY WHITE ROSE, BALL OF SNOW.

#### New Hardy Rose....

#### Countess of Roseberry

We have in this charming variety probably the most beautiful Rose grown. No other Hybrid can approach it in its exquisite coloring. Indeed, no one would take it for a Hybrid, as it is as delicate and beautiful in its tints as the most gorgeous of the Teas. The color is satin-pink in the center, and deepens to the outer petals to a bright rose. The feathery shading gives it the appearance of two distinct colors. It has completely captivated us. Very free flowering, and a good grower.

#### Hardy Rose....

#### Anna de Diesbach.

(Glory of Paris.) Brilliant crimson, sometimes shaded with bright maroon; long pointed buds, and large, finely formed, compact flowers, very full and sweet; one of the best.

#### Antoin Quihon.

Extra large flowers, very full, compact and regular form. Color a rich, violet-crimson, elegantly tinged and shaded maroon-red; a free bloomer and very sweet.

#### Hardy Rose, Paul Neyron.

Deep shining Rose, very fresh and pretty, the flowers large, often measuring five inches in diameter, and it has this merit—though very large, the buds always develop fine, perfect Roses. It is, moreover, a good, strong grower, with nice, almost thornless stems, which almost attain six to seven feet in a single season. We know of no Rose possessing so many good points to recommend it as Paul Neyron. Grown by thousands for its good, free blooming qualities.

#### Vick's Caprice.

By far the best striped hardy Rose. The flowers are large and bud and flower are perfect in form; color soft satiny-pink, distinctly striped carmine. Excellent for cutting.



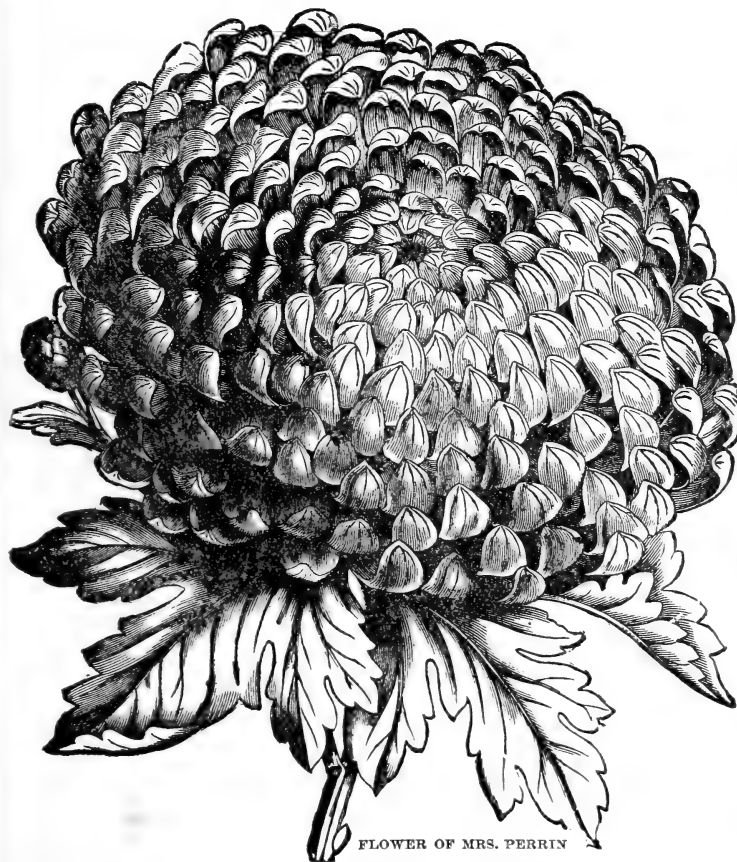
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**NOT ONE POOR GROWER OR INFERIOR SORT AMONG THEM.**



FLOWER OF MRS. PERRIN

### **The Lovely Chrysanthemum, MRS. PERRIN.**

The flower is of globular form, incurved, full and with a finish as soft as satin. Color rose-pink within, glistening pink without. Recognized wherever shown as the ideal variety in this color. Received first prize wherever shown as best pink; at Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago received the most flattering notices. Everyone who has seen it is loud in praise of the color. A wonderfully clear, bright pink, quite free from magenta. The flower is incurving, but quite loosely built.

### **Geo. W. Childs.**

Deep, rich, velvety crimson, with no shade of brown or chestnut; a grand red sort.

### **Mrs. Jerome Jones.**

Large, cream-white, incurved Japanese, sometimes showing a tinge of pink; high, round flower; one of the best Chrysanthemum flowers to date. Indispensable for exhibition; grand stem and foliage.

### **Maud Dean.**

Grand, rosy-pink, of fine build and large size; color extra good; one of the very finest among pinks. Should be in every exhibition collection.

### **Bronze Giant.**

Exhibition bronze. This is an elegant grower, heavy, stocky stem, clothed throughout in fine foliage. The flower is of immense size, crowded with petals, which are stiff and of great substance; form incurving, a most imposing bloom of largest size, a beautiful rich bronze, or old gold color. Received premium of fifty dollars for best bronze.

### **G. Moseman.**

By far the finest of all varieties yet imported; nine inches in diameter, irregular, incurved petals; buff without and bright red within; flowers large and of robust habit; always a prize winner.

### **Marion Henderson.**

The earliest of all the large flowered yellows, being in perfection by October 10th. The color is a charming bright golden-yellow; large, full flower.

### **Louise Boehmer.**

This has the same wonderful hair-like growth as the white variety, "Mrs. Alpheus Hardy," but differs in color, being a lavender-pink, shaded silvery-pink. Splendidly incurved. Outside of petals deep rose.

### **Fisher's Torch.**

Bright fiery-red, the richest shade in Chrysanthemums; large, fine flower.

### **Red Cloud.**

A grand new dark variety, offered the first time last Spring. The flowers are very large, incurving, and of great substance. One of our very best.

**OUR GENEROUS OFFER** From this and two following pages you may select any FIVE for only 25c; any TWELVE for 50c; any TWENTY-SIX for \$1.00. Price per single plant, 6c each.

# OUR CHALLENGE COLLECTION OF "MUMS"—(Continued.)

ONLY SIX CENTS EACH ON THIS PAGE.

## **Gretchen Buettner.**

This variety has broad, waxy petals of purest white, only center petals show a beautiful pea-green before flower is quite developed. It is quite distinct from any existing sort in this stage. It turns all white when fully open and is full to center.

## **E. G. Hill.**

Immense flowers; bright yellow, deeply shaded bright carmine; imported Japanese; a prize winner everywhere; especially good for pots.

## **Triumph d'Ex de Marseilles.**

Color deep amber, shaded with a brown-yellow at the center. Very peculiar in form, having long, pendant lower petals, which droop down some three inches. Center high and full of nicely arranged petals.

## **Joseph H. White.**

Very large white variety, with upright petals, forming a nicely rounded flower of great substance.

## **Roslyn.**

Superb, clear rose-pink; petals thick and heavy; cup-shaped, solid to the center; immense in size, habit, the best; stems stiff and erect, covered with luxuriant foliage.

## **Miss Kate Brown.**

The very finest of all the early whites, coming into bloom the first week in October; fully six inches across; a fine incurved flower with broad petals; first-class disbudded; also beautiful in natural sprays. Highly appreciated in the East.

## **Mrs. G. J. Beer.**

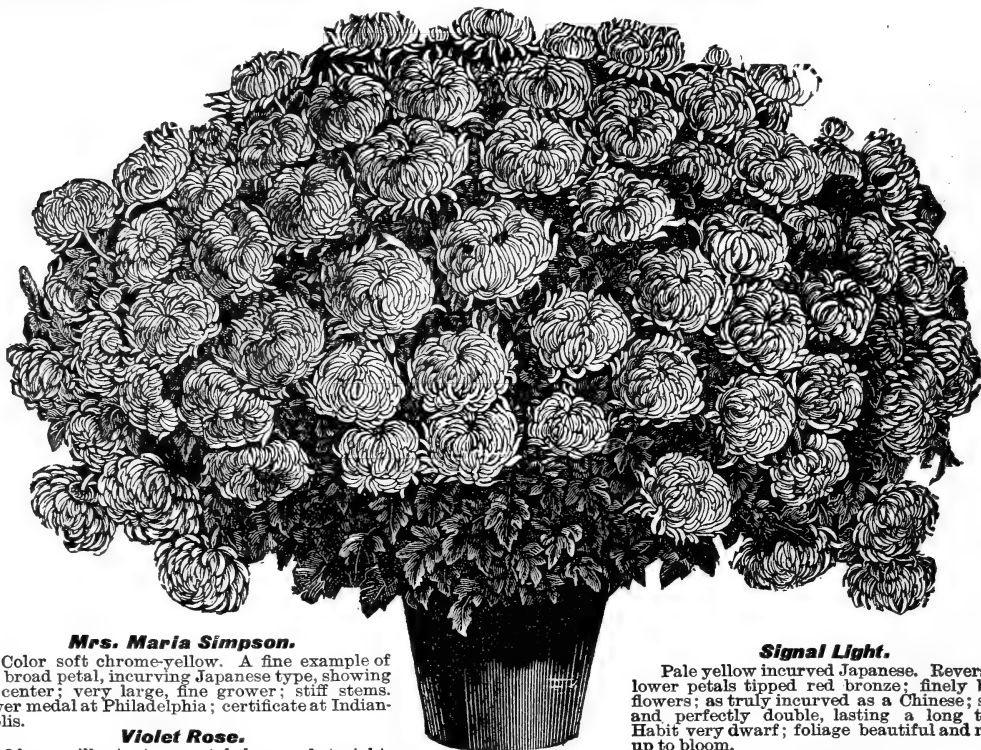
Immense Japanese bloom, full and deep, rosy-purple color, lighter center. For exhibition only. One of the largest flowered varieties extant.

## **Modesto.**

This variety has proven one of the finest yellows, and has been a prize winner at every exhibition of Mums. It is intense in color, unsurpassed in size, of an incurved solid form, with full, high center.

## **Helen Bloodgood.**

A striking variety. Unquestionably the most meritorious pink introduced to commerce, being the first true, clear pink, without a trace of shading of purple or magenta. In form a globe-shaped Japanese, of largest size, with strong and robust habit. Certificate by the Chrysanthemum Society of America at New York and Philadelphia.



## **Mrs. Maria Simpson.**

Color soft chrome-yellow. A fine example of the broad petal, incurving Japanese type, showing no center; very large, fine grower; stiff stems. Silver medal at Philadelphia; certificate at Indianapolis.

## **Violet Rose.**

Of very silky texture, petals long and straight, a fine grower; flower of extra large size and fine color; a fine keeper when cut. The color of this fine new variety, as the name indicates, is a beautiful violet-rose. A superb flower.

## **The Great New Yellow Golden Wedding.**

The grandest yellow yet offered. This fine variety swept everything before it at the New York and Philadelphia exhibitions. In color it is a deep, bright gold of shining texture. It is very large in size, the petals are both long and broad and channeled lengthwise. A perfect Japanese incurved of most beautiful form, very free in growth; first-class exhibition variety. (See cut.)

## **Monarch of Ostrich Plumes.**

Bright creamy-yellow; a Japan novelty of this year. It is quite large for this type; of beautiful form and finely incurved. Those who have been buying Ostrich Plume varieties will be much pleased with it.

THE WONDERFUL  
GOLDEN WEDDING.

## **Signal Light.**

Pale yellow incurved Japanese. Reverse of lower petals tipped red-bronze; finely built flowers; as truly incurved as a Chinese; solid and perfectly double, lasting a long time. Habit very dwarf; foliage beautiful and right up to bloom.

## **C. B. Whitnall.**

Large, regular Chinese; outer petals recurving, forming a perfect globe. Color soft, velvety-maroon; reverse a shade lighter.

## **Marie Louise.**

A beautiful recurring white, with slender, interlacing petals, forming a plummy globe. Received Columbian medal at the Chicago show. Not of enormous size, but of good substance; stems slender and stiff; foliage elegant; a model for cut flowers.

## **President Wm. R. Smith.**

Color of Daybreak Carnation; a pure self-pink; very heavy in substance, on stiff stems; very free in growth. The form of the flower is very beautiful in all its stages; it opens with a center incurving in a circle enclosed in broad outer petals; becomes rounded and deep; perfectly double; a splendid keeper.

# OUR CHALLENGE COLLECTION OF "MUMS"—(Continued.)

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## Gettysburg.

This is a deep crimson variety, and excels in its color as Golden Wedding does in yellow. Deep, rich crimson, which in the flower itself is soft and velvet-like. The outer petals are broad and drooping, and have a lustrous sheen in the sunlight. The form flat, with drooping outer petals, which gives it a very graceful appearance. This is the popular form, and combined with the splendid color, stamps Gettysburg as a Chrysanthemum of rare merit.

## Perle Lyonnalse.

Bright, clear, golden-yellow, somewhat plumed, quite full; one of the very finest, of medium size; beautiful, globular form; new.

## Ada Spaulding.

A striking variety; habit sturdy and robust; color a rich, deep pink, shading in upper portion to the purest pearl-white. Awarded silver cup, two medals and three certificates.

## Leopard.

Quite distinct in its style; the only spotted variety. The ground color deep carmine, spotted white.

## Niveus.

A grand snow-white variety. Center irregularly incurving, with outer petals reflexing nearly to the stem. Constitution robust, foliage large and abundant, while the keeping qualities of the flowers are unsurpassed.

## Minerva.

An exceedingly attractive, bold, massive flower, very large, incurved, the outer petals drooping, forming almost a perfect flower of the most vivid clear yellow, with extra good stem and fine handsome foliage within four inches of the flower. Certificates of merit at New York and Philadelphia shows.

## Pres. McKinley.

This is one of the grandest of all the lighter shades of pink, and is the finest of all varieties of this color. In size one of the largest, elegant in finish, color exquisite. Early midseason. One of the finest for bush form.

## Maude Dean.

An immense pink variety; finely incurved; petals broad, shell-shaped. One of the largest flowers exhibited in the Fall shows. Almost a pure shell-pink. Received silver medal at Philadelphia, and awarded certificates of merit at New York and Philadelphia.

## Mad. Bergman.

A grand new Chinese variety of dwarf habit, very full in growth, and with large, dark-green foliage. The flowers are large and globular, with reflexed petals. Color pure white, center shaded with light yellow. Especially valuable because it is the earliest of all the large flowering sorts.

## Judge Hoitt.

The greatest break in seeding of recent years; an Anemone fully eight inches across; color pale pearl-pink; the outer petals are broad and incurving.

## Mrs. Georgiana Pitcher.

A yellow variety that will make a reputation for itself. Habit dwarf, flowers incurved, of good size, fine color, of great substance; a magnificent variety.

## The Queen.

A grand double white, of fine form and great substance; very rounded in form, incurving and full. Attracted a great deal of attention at Madison Square, where it was awarded first premium for best white.

## Bronze Giant.

Exhibition bronze. This is an elegant grower; heavy, stocky stem; clothed throughout in fine foliage. The flower is of immense size, crowded with petals, which are stiff and of great substance; form incurving; a most imposing bloom of largest size; a beautiful rich bronze or old gold color. Received premium of fifty dollars for best bronze.

## Mrs. E. G. Hill.

One of the earliest of all the large flowering sorts. Flowers very large, seven to eight inches across; full to the center. A grand incurved sphere when fully expanded. Color delicate pearl-pink; extra fine.

## Mrs. George Gordon.

Light, primrose-yellow, incurved very gracefully in appearance; the best of its color; mid-season.

## Crystal Queen.

A first-class variety; large, nicely finished snow-white flower of rounded form, full to the center; incurved, pointed petals, and of great substance. Probably the best and most useful of the many white varieties.

## Cullingfordii.

Brilliant crimson, shaded scarlet; flowers of a rich, velvety texture. One of the brightest and most distinct of all the dark colored sorts. Petals finely reflexed. (See cut.)

## Miss Dalskovi.

(The Pink Ivory.)

An immense incurved variety. Clear, bright pink; fine rounded form of great depth with deep, strong foliage. The grandest of the extra early clear pink varieties.

## President

Wm. R. Smith.

Color of Daybreak Carnation, a pure self-pink; very heavy in substance, on stiff stems. The form of the flower is very beautiful in all its stages; it opens with a center incurving in a circle enclosed in broad outer petals; it gradually assumes the true Japanese form, rounded and deep and this gradually changes to the informal reflexed; perfectly double; especially fine for cut flowers and exhibition blooms.

## Yellow Good Gracious.

Largest yellow in existence. This magnificent new Chrysanthemum was exhibited last Fall, measuring over fifteen inches in diameter, and is, without exception, the largest yellow Chrysanthemum ever introduced. The color is a deep golden-yellow, very bright. Very massive in build. A grand addition to our already fine class of yellows.

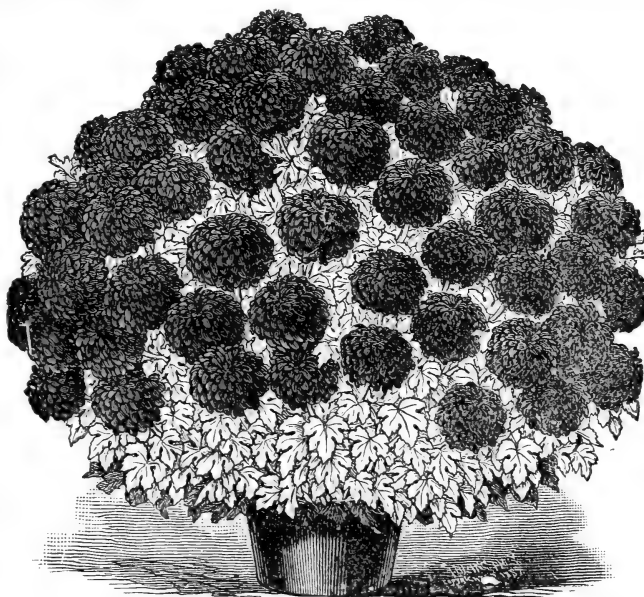
## L'Enfant Des Deux Mondes.

(Child of Two Worlds.)

Pure white. This grand white sport from L. Boehmer was well received, having many admirers at the shows. Like the parent, it is a strong grower of good habit, and is considered the best white of the hairy type, and well deserves a prominent place in any set of this peculiar style of the Chrysanthemum.

## The Pond Lily Chrysanthemum, Pitcher and Manda.

This is the most wonderful Chrysanthemum ever introduced. There is nothing that has ever been offered that in any way approaches it. Who ever heard of Chrysanthemums having two distinct colors in one flower? But Pitcher and Manda has. The outer five or six rows of petals are pure white, of dahlia-like form; center is a bright, deep yellow, the two colors being sharply defined. A most distinct novelty.



THE HANDSOME DARK RED "MUM," CULLINGFORDII.

# OUR EARLY FLOWERING CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

OUR SPECIAL OFFER.—We will send the full set of ten early "Mums" for only 50 cents. Any five for 30 cents. - - - - -

**WE GET** many inquiries for Chrysanthemums that bloom early. For the benefit of those who want early "Mums" we here offer a very fine collection, embracing the choicest sorts and a wide range of color. - - - - -

## IVORY

Unexcelled for pot culture or cutting; pure white flower of exquisite form and finish. Has been shown in grand shape at all recent exhibitions; it is especially noticeable for its grand globular form, its dahlia-like petals and absolute purity of color.

## VIOLESCENT

Violet amaranth, reverse silvery white, enormous flowers of great beauty. This is one of the grandest early flowering varieties we have, and the color is distinct from all others.

## MISS DALSKOV

The latest and greatest acquisition to the Chrysanthemum world. We have thoroughly tested this grand new variety and we cannot say too much in its favor. We had single blooms last Fall that measured ten inches across. In color it is a beautiful pink, entirely distinct from any pink Chrysanthemum yet exhibited.

## MISS KATE BROWN

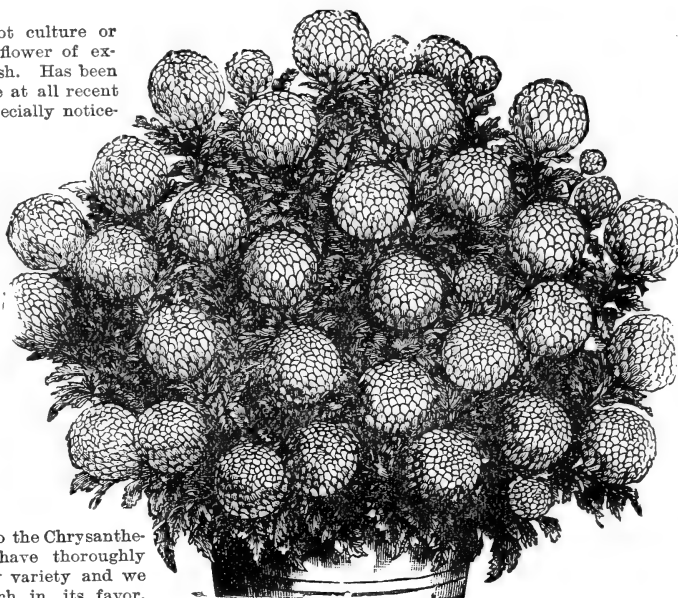
One of the very finest of all the early whites, coming into bloom the first week in October; fully six inches across; a fine incurved flower, with broad petals; first-class disbudded, and also beautiful in natural sprays.

## MRS. HENRY ROBINSON

A perfect form, of the Queen of England type, of exceptional merit, large and well finished. An early white, blooming with us October 5th. Fine substance and very lasting.

## GLORY OF THE PACIFIC

It is of magnificent size and depth, with broad petals which finely reflex, showing the clear pink color to excellent advantage. A pink of large size and good form. This variety will delight every grower.



PURE WHITE "MUM" IVORY.

## CULLINGFORDII

Reflexed. Exceedingly brilliant crimson, richly shaded with scarlet. Florets of a beautiful, rich, velvety texture. One of the very distinct and noted sorts. This is one of the finest red Chrysanthemums in existence, and too much can not be said in its praise.

## BENJ. GIROUD

Is the richest deep crimson variety we have ever seen and excels in its color as Golden Wedding does in yellow. The color is of the richest velvety-crimson, which in the flower itself is soft and velvety-like. It is, without doubt, the best Chrysanthemum of its color. The flowers are

enormous in size, while the color is the richest of all. Winner of nine premiums and certificates. Blooms in October.

## MARION HENDERSON

We cut the first flowers on October 10th, several days before any other large yellow was ready, and had perfect flowers to cut a month later. The texture of the flower is such that we have never seen it in the least affected by damp, although other varieties alongside of it were badly affected. We have never seen a symptom of any disease on it. This grand variety will be invaluable for early cut flowers, and we believe, will occupy the same position among early varieties that Golden Wedding does among the late ones.

## MME. F. BERGMANN

Still the finest of all the early whites; large in size, coming into bloom October 10th; excellent for pot culture for early flowers.

# The Beautiful Ostrich Plumed Chrysanthemums

The best of the choice and rare. Price, 10 cents each, except where noted. The entire collection of eight splendid sorts for only 50 cents. The term "Ostrich Plume" is applied to this type on account of the feathery growth with which the petals are thickly covered.



PLUMED "MUM," ANNIE LAURIE.

## The Pink Ostrich Plume Chrysanthemum,

### LOUIS BOEHMER

Has a wonderful hair-like growth or excrescence. Color a most beautiful shade of lavender pink, shaded silvery pink on the ends of petals. Flowers splendidly incurved, inside of petals deep rose. For evening wear the Louis Boehmer will be sure to be in demand. Flowers enormous, and it is absolutely free from any taint or blight. Awarded silver medal at Philadelphia. Price, 10c each.

## The Charming New Yellow Ostrich Plume,

### PERLE OF LYONAISE

Bright, clear, golden-yellow, somewhat plumed, quite full, one of the very finest; of medium size; beautiful globular form; new. Price, 10c each.

## The Enormous New Pink Ostrich Plume Variety,

### MRS. HIGINBOTHAM

Enormous bright pink, broad-spreading Japanese variety; with extremely wide cupping and incurving petals which are covered with granular hairs. Was shown at Chicago exceeding eleven inches in diameter, and reported as the largest and best hardy variety ever exhibited. Habit, stem and foliage perfect, without any of the weakness usually accompanying hirsute varieties. Awarded certificate at Chicago and Philadelphia. Price, 10c each.

## The New White Ostrich Plume Chrysanthemum,

### ENFANT DES BEAUX MONDES

(Child of Two Worlds.) Pure white, strong grower, of good habit, and is considered the best white of the hairy type and well deserves a prominent place in any set of this peculiar style of the Chrysanthemum. Price, 10c.

## Our Beautiful New Ostrich Plumed Chrysanthemum,

### ANNIE LAURIE

A lovely new plumed Chrysanthemum, quite distinct from any other plumed variety. The flowers are very large, color a beautiful creamy white-tinted pink, and is completely covered with the soft hair-like growth peculiar to the plumed varieties. It is a very strong grower and in every way a valuable addition to this beautiful class. Price, 15c each.

## The Latest Novelty in Ostrich Plumes,

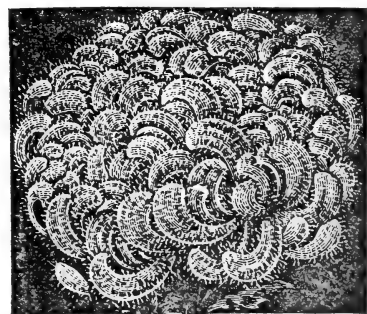
### GOLD DUST

Pure golden yellow, very plummy, very full, shows no center at all, finely incurved. Color very brilliant. Received honorable mention at Chicago, where it was described as a decided improvement on Yellow Ostrich Plumes. Price, 10c. each.

## The New Ostrich Plume,

### MONARCH OF OSTRICH PLUMES

Bright chrome-yellow. A Japar novelty of this year. It is quite large for this type; of beautiful form and finely incurved. Those who have been buying Ostrich Plume varieties will be much pleased with it. Price, 10c each.



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FLOWER OF ENFANT DES MONDES.  
(One-fourth natural size.)

## New Rosy-Blush Ostrich Plume Chrysanthemum,

### WM. FALCONER

The color is an exquisite shade of rosy blush, changing to a delicate flesh pink as the flowers advance in age. The soft, feathery growth peculiar to the "Ostrich Plume" class is even more pronounced than in any of its predecessors. A unique and beautiful variety. Price, 10c each.

**THIS IS THE BEST AND CHEAPEST SET OF PLUMED "MUMS" EVER OFFERED. TRY A SET. THEY ARE ODDLY BEAUTIFUL.**



# NEW CHRYSANTHEMUMS OF 1901.

## THE NEWEST AND CHOICEST VARIETIES EXTANT.



THE WHITE GIANT "MUM," TIMOTHY EATON.

THE CHRYSANTHEMUMS named on this page are the choicest productions from all exhibitions and sources for the year 1901. Our patrons can rely on them being each and every one the very choicest color, as awards are not given until the judges are satisfied that they are better than any existing sorts. So if you wish to be up to date, and have the very best, order this set.

PRICE, 15c EACH, EXCEPT WHERE NOTED; THE SET OF 10 FOR \$1.00; ANY 5 FOR 50c.

The sensation of the year is the giant white variety,

❖ ❖ **TIMOTHY EATON.** ❖ ❖

The awards given it in 1900 were:

The Chrysanthemum Society of America's silver cup for any best ten blooms on exhibition.

American Institute, \$25.00 premium, }  
New York Hort. Soc., silver cup, }

New York City.

Two First Premiums, }  
Two Silver Medals, } Philadelphia.

Also, National Society's Certificate, scoring 92 points.

It is the largest globular Japanese incurved variety yet raised; form, round and perfect; stem stiff, nicely clothed with foliage; color, creamy white; texture good, making it a splendid keeper and shipper, for blooms shipped from Canada, and awarded premiums at the Philadelphia show, were the same blooms receiving the Society's certificate when examined on Saturday after the show had closed. Price, 25c.

The Giant New Red Chrysanthemum,

❖ ❖ ❖ **MALCOM LAMOND.** ❖ ❖ ❖

This is a grand new exhibition red. The flowers are of massive size, reflexed, with broad, stiff petals. Color a deep, rich, fiery, velvety red. It is, without doubt, the best Chrysanthemum of its color. The flowers are enormous in size, while the color is the richest of all. We can ask all our customers to try this variety, as it will not disappoint you.

Received Chrysanthemum Society's certificate. 25c each.

**Effie Dean**—A beautiful sport from the fine commercial sort, Maud Dean. The color is a charming ivory-white, beautifully veined; when flower is fully developed, shows the carmine center, making it very effective.

**Mrs. H. Weeks**—An immense flower, with broad claw-like petals, incurving to form a globe of white, a few outer petals reflexing; has made a sensation in England, and in our own country last Fall appeared in fine shape at most of the principal shows.

**Mrs. S. T. Murdock**—One of the finest varieties in cultivation; nice glistening pink, fine globular bloom of rather short, incurving petals; early mid-season, stem and foliage perfect; a fine keeper.

**Mrs. John J. Glessner**—A light yellow, very distinct in form; broad petals opening in a whorl, which, when matured, assume a convex form; tips turning backward and twisting in all directions.

**Mrs. O. P. Bassett**—Magnificent flower; outer petals broad and soft cream color, tinted with carmine; attracted large attention at Chicago shows.

**Robert B. Laird**—An incurved Japanese variety. Solid and globular petals, broad and deeply grooved, inside orange-red, outside old gold. A monster variety.

**Bessie Hollis**—A magnificent golden-yellow variety, with straight, flat, spreading petals. An extra large flower, completely double and of great substance.

**Mrs. Martin A. Ryerson**—A pure white, petals narrow; the center builds up with interlacing, incurved petals, making a very high flower; distinct in form.

## OUR ROYAL COLLECTION OF

# Beautiful Fuchsias

We have selected Twelve of the very best Double and Single Fuchsias from our large collection and will send the entire set for a remittance of 75 cents, or any seven for 50 cents.

**THEY ARE BEAUTIFUL SORTS. TRY THEM.**

**PRICE PER SINGLE PLANT 10c, EXCEPT WHERE NOTED.**

**Grandest Double White Fuchsia in Existence, White Giant**—The largest and best white Fuchsia grown; fine form and very double. Color a pure white. We find it to be an excellent Winter bloomer. Price, 15c each.

**Mrs. G. Rundel**—A much improved Earl of Beaconsfield; tube and sepals bluish-white; corolla rich orange; a very good variety; single. 10c.

**Lovely**—Another fine market variety. Tube and sepals white; corolla single; brilliant crimson; tinted magenta. 10c.

**Gloire Des Marches**—Tube and sepals bright reddish-crimson, corolla pure white. A fine double flowering sort; splendid habit of growth. Price, 10c each.

**Oriflamme**—Tube and sepals clear crimson; large, single red corolla; beautiful amaranth. 10c each.

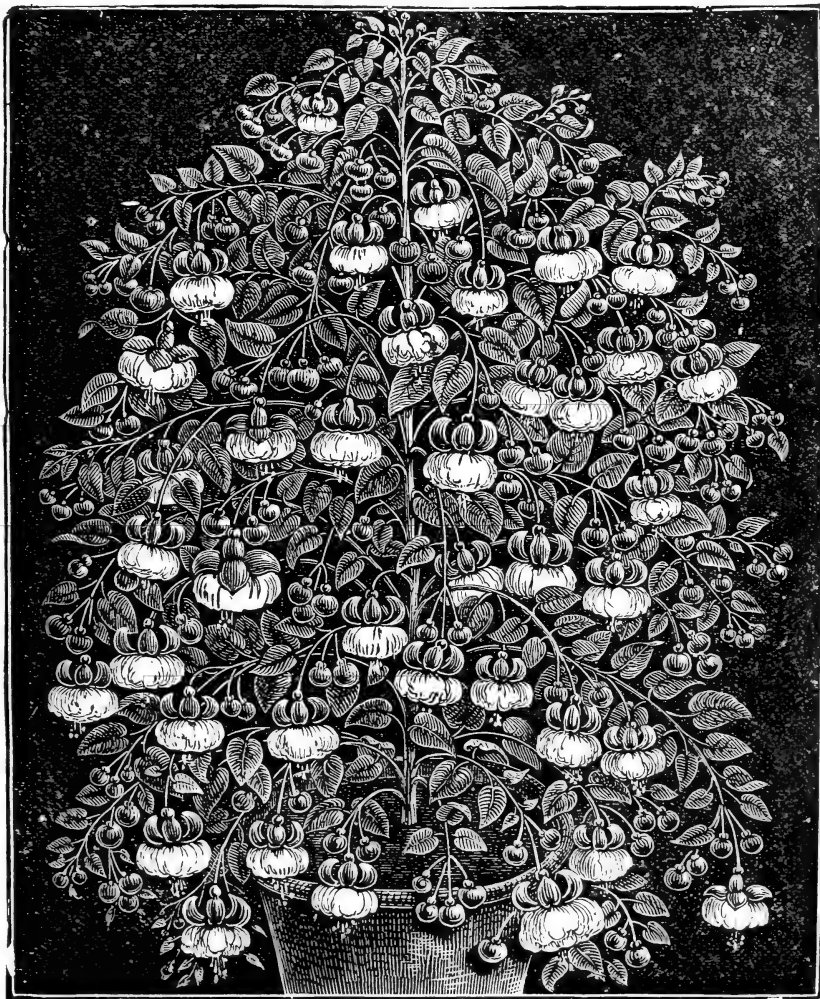
**Black Prince**—Makes a shapely bush and is probably the freest in blooming. We have seen specimen plants six feet in height and four feet across loaded with thousands of its bright buds and blossoms of a beautiful waxy-carmine or pink color. Price, 10c each.

**Phenomenal**—The largest double Fuchsia, single blooms are actually 2 inches in diameter under good cultivation; tube and sepals reddish-crimson; corolla clear azure - violet, flaked red. Price, 10c each.

**Dolly Varden**—Flowers globular, dark red tube and sepals, with rich, dark blue corolla. Price, 10c each.

**Wave of Life**—This is a beautiful variety, with golden-yellow foliage. Sepals vivid scarlet; corolla bright violet. Price, 10c each.

**Emperor, or Single Phenomenal**—This new Fuchsia is by far the largest of all the single flowering varieties. It is an exceptionally strong grower, bearing immense blooms of a very rich, dark purple. It ranks among the singles the



BEAUTIFUL WHITE GIANT.

same as Phenomenal does among the doubles. Nice strong plants, 15c each.

**The Beautiful Golden - Leaved Double Blue Fuchsia, Avalanche**—An early flowering variety with golden foliage; large double purple flowers. 10c each.

**Speciosa**—Corolla scarlet; sepals bluish. One of the best blooming varieties for Summer or Winter. Price, 10c each.

## OUR POPULAR CREAM COLLECTION OF CARNATIONS

**Bobolink**—Pinkish cream color, striped with crimson. A lovely variegated Carnation, admired by all who have seen it.

**Trilby**—One of the finest Carnations of recent introduction, and is by far the handsomest of the dark varieties. Flowers are of a velvety-red with maroon shading. A vigorous growing plant and perfectly free blooming. 10c each.

**Daybreak**—More widely known than any other variety of Carnation. It is a great favorite as a cut flower and merits the grand reputation it has the world over. Color, a delicate bright flesh. Very free flowering and long stemmed.

**Portia**—A favorite everywhere, for it blooms freely and is a desirable shade of bright scarlet. The flowers are of good size and substance, keeping for a long time after being cut. One of our most valuable varieties.

**Silver Spray**—A fine, white Carnation, flowers large, full and fragrant. The flowers are of good substance, very full and double.

**Empress**—Magnificent, rich crimson, base of petals fiery scarlet; large, perfectly shaped flowers.

**Eldorado**—A yellow of free blooming habit; strong, vigorous plants, erect stems, finely formed flower of fair size, very free. Petals edged with a narrow band of light pink; almost a Picotte in marking. The flower retains its yellow color under artificial light, unlike most yellow varieties.

**Armazinda**—Pure white, lightly penciled with scarlet. Fine, large flowers of good form, on very stiff stems nearly two feet in length. Price, 10c each.

**Flora Hill**—Unquestionably the grandest white Carnation to date. Very free in bloom. Flowers of enormous size, of nice rounded form, highly clove-scented and all borne on very long stems. Price, 10c each.

**Rose Queen**—One of the best pink varieties for all uses. The plant is bushy and compact in form, while the flowers are held up by stiff, erect stems. Color, a soft pure rose.

The entire Cream Collection of 10 very choice Carnations only 60 cents. Per Single plant, 8 cents each, except where noted. No discount on this collection. In ordering, please say "Cream Collection."



# The Up-to-Date Set of New Carnations.

This grand set of nine new Carnations embraces the very choicest and newest, some of them being offered for the first time this spring.

Price, 12 cents each, except where noted.  
The full set of nine for 75 cents. No further discount on this offer.



The Magnificent New Carnation, Prosperity—Color, a pure white, overlaid with shadings of soft pink; perfectly distinct. How it sells. In December, 1899, and January, 1900, flowers of this variety sold at \$3.00 per dozen, wholesale. Price, 15c each.

Gen. Gomez—Brilliant cardinal maroon. Flowers full and nicely fringed. Very strong, vigorous habit of growth. A fine dark colored variety, of a shade seldom seen in Carnations.

Peru—A remarkable new white Carnation; blooms very early on strong stiff stems and continues to bloom the entire season. Flowers large, of fine shape, and very fragrant.

The Marquis—Blooms continuously with immense bright pink flowers of clove-like fragrance. This grand new sort bids fair to be one of the most popular Carnations out. Price, 15c each.

Elma—This grand sort will rank with the very finest of exhibition or commercial varieties, and we predict a certificate for it at the February Carnation Meeting; the flowers are full and rounded and very large, the color is bright pink with silvery sheen; the stem is long, upright, but not rigid, calyx good, a strong free grower and a free bloomer; this variety will prove very popular; it has every requisite of a first rate sort.

Gov. Roosevelt—(Ward.) Rich, brilliant, scarlet, shaded maroon; exceedingly free and constant bloomer, producing good-sized flowers with good stems; claimed by the raiser to be the best all-around crimson ever introduced; a prize winner wherever it has been shown. Price, 15c each.

California Gold—(Hill and Craig.) Bright glowing yellow with scarlet stripes; very nice form, of fair size; exceedingly free flowering, not a cropper, but a continuous producer. For those wanting a good reliable yellow this will fill the bill.

Genevieve Lord—Soft pink, very free, of good form and a general favorite with all who see it. An all-round good variety.

Dorothy—(Mrs. Grave.) One of the very best commercial pinks yet introduced; bright clear pink about the shade of Scott, fully as free flowering, but larger and the commercial grower ever offered.

THE LOVELY CARNATION, PROSPERITY.

of excellent form, and a grand keeping variety, with extra good stem. This we consider one of the best money makers for the commercial grower ever offered.

## Brilliant New Geraniums of Last Year's Introduction.

Here we offer the very newest and richest colored Geraniums yet introduced. They are simply magnificent in their rich coloring and freedom of bloom. They are entirely new, this being the first time some of them have been offered to the public.

Jean Vlaud—Has been styled "Pink Beaute Poitevine," and is an entirely new color in this useful class of Geraniums. The plant is of low, stocky growth and very prolific bloomer. Flowers in immense size trusses on rigid stems. Color, clear, bright rose, excellent for either bedding or pot culture. Will be planted in large quantities as soon as its good qualities become known. Price, 15c each.

Mme. Landry—(Double.) One of the choicest and most beautiful yet added to the Bruants. Very free and constant in bloom throughout the season. Trusses large, and florets of the finest size and circular in form. Color, clear salmon, center shading to copper, with a white eye. Very distinct, and one of the best. Price, 15c each.

M. Canovas—(Double.) Immense trusses of very dark, velvety scarlet, with dark crimson shadings. Flowers large, on rigid stems. A fine, free grower, and free in bloom. Price, 15c each.

A GRAND OFFER.—We will send this brilliant collection of seven new Geraniums for a remittance of only 75 cents.

Mme. J. Cibiel—(Single.) Flowers of the very largest size, round and perfect, center bright pink, white eye, large white border. Plant compact and free. Beautiful, fresh color. Does finely indoors and out. Price, 15c each.

Fine, Fancy, Double Mme. Goy-ux—Light rosy pink, with large white blotch in the center of the flower; a delicate and beautiful color. One of the prettiest of the double aureoles, because the colors are absolutely bright and clear. Very free in bloom, and stands the sun finely. Very valuable in fancy bedding, a nice dwarf grower, with compact foliage of light green; free and vigorous. Price, 15c ea h.

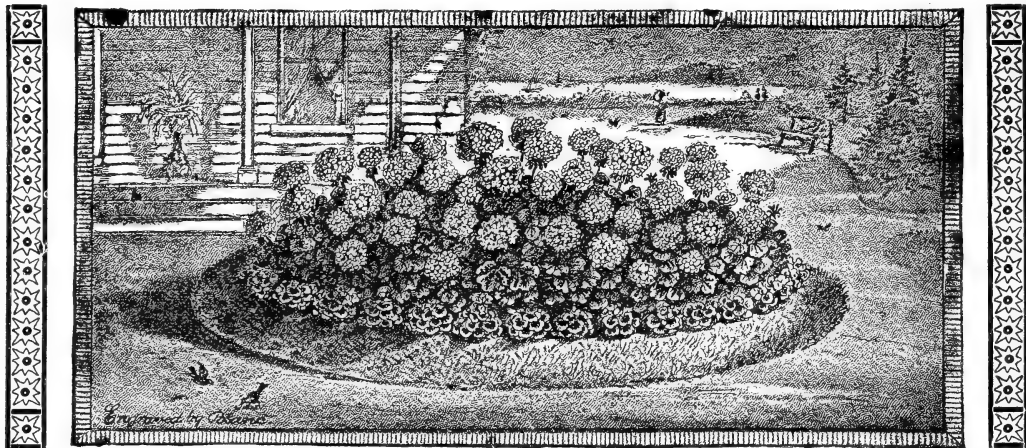
Marquis de Castellane—Plant low growing and sturdy, flowers bright cherry red. Will be planted everywhere. Double. Price, 15c each.

Andrew Lang—Glowing scarlet, with large white blotch on the two upper petals, the center suffused with carmine; the most brilliant contrast of colors yet found among the aureoles united with a form nearly circular. Beds nicely. Price, 15c.



# 20 Best Double Geraniums for \$1.00

Any Eight for 50 cents. Any Three for 25 cents. Price per Single Plant, 10 cents. No further discount on this liberal offer.



## THE BEAUTIFUL CEMETERY GERANIUM, WHITE SWAN.

In the White Swan, we have the finest Double White Geranium ever introduced. The perfect double flowers are unsurpassed for cut flowers. They are borne in large trusses, and are spotless, snowy white, retaining pure whiteness even in the heat of Summer.

## THE GREAT DOUBLE GERANIUM, BRUANT.

The giant among Geraniums. We consider this the best bedding Geranium of all varieties. Color of the flower is a bright vermilion-red of most pleasing shade. The flowers are absolutely perfect in shape, color and make-up; trusses exceptionally large, and borne in immense spherical balls, often measuring eight inches in diameter.

## FIREBRAND.

Color-dazzling, flame-scarlet; fine, prominent truss, flowers large and of great substance; an excellent bedder and pot plant. For planting in masses we have none to equal it. Another thing in its favor, it takes fewer plants because of its sturdy, branching habit, to give effect.

## CONTRASTE.

Among the most beautiful of new Double Geraniums is *Contraste*. The flowers and trusses are very large. Lower petals orange and carmine, upper petals clear orange, making a striking contrast of colors that is beautiful.

## QUEEN OF FAIRIES.

Large, round florets of waxy appearance, color a rich flesh, mottled with pearly-white. An excellent pot variety, to which its habit is excellently suited. It is one of the prettiest Geraniums we have.

## THE EXQUISITELY COLORED NEW GERANIUM, WILHELM PFITZER.

Beautiful, bright apricot color; quite distinct, and by far the best ever sent out of the color. Plant of perfect habit.

## MINISTER OF CONSTANS.

Flowers very large and full, bright orange, shaded with salmon; trusses stand well up above the foliage; it is also a fine pot variety, its distinct orange-salmon color always attracting attention.

## COMTESSE DE LA BAUME.

One of the most beautiful rose-colored varieties, either for growing in pots or bedding out.

## DR. JACOBY.

A magnificent Geranium, having enormous trusses of large, double flowers of clear nankeen-salmon.

## HETHERANTHE.

A magnificent variety. Flowers bright red, trusses of enormous size, and borne high above the foliage.

When ordering this collection, please say "Best Twenty Double Geraniums." This collection of Twenty Choice Double Geraniums for \$1.00 is the best and cheapest ever offered for the price.

## THE BEAUTIFUL ROSE-COLORED GERANIUM, THEOCRITE.

Its colorings are simply without an equal—a soft, tender rose with violet shadings, entirely distinct from any other variety in coloring. Another characteristic of this new Geranium is its heavy, dense foliage, neatly zoned, and stands our hot sun admirably, and for bedding is without a rival.

## CALIFORNIA, THE YELLOW GERANIUM.

Rich, golden-orange shade, of the most brilliant hue—we need not add another word to its color. The flowers are of the largest size, most perfectly shaped, in large trusses, opening freely at all seasons.

## LA FAVORITE.

In this new Geranium we believe we have the finest Double White Geranium in cultivation. It is a dwarf, compact growing variety, the foliage is a bright, healthy green, with a band of dark green encircling each leaf. The flowers are borne in large trusses of the purest snow-white, retain this pure whiteness even in the height of Summer, and for Winter blooming they are all that can be desired. See cut.

## CRIMSON VELVET.

This is the darkest and richest Geranium grown. It is a very bright, dark, deep, rich, velvety-maroon, very dark and rich, and at the same time very bright. An excellent bedder and pot plant. Simply superb.

## MONTESQUIEU.

One of the most exquisitely beautiful in color, which closely resembles that of the *Grace Wilder* Carnation. The floret is quite circular and more than semi-double. Truss of large size, nicely carried on good stems.

## MONS. M. MATHEWS.

A bright rosy-crimson. The habit is dwarf, compact, and, with its great freedom of bloom, make it a most excellent bedder.

## MISS FRANCES E. WILLARD.

It is of vigorous growth; the flower stalks are very long and are carried well above the foliage; the color is a delicate blush, shaded with pearl-pink, a most charming piece of shading.

## B. K. BLISS.

A splendid bedder, blooming without intermission and standing the sun well. The flowers are beautiful, deep, rich scarlet; fine, large florets of most perfect circular form. The best shaped flower of its class.

## A. DUPREE.

Dark, rich velvety-crimson, shaded still darker. It is needless to say that this coloring is unusually handsome.

## MRS. CHARLES PEASE.

Deep pink, white center. A magnificent sort.

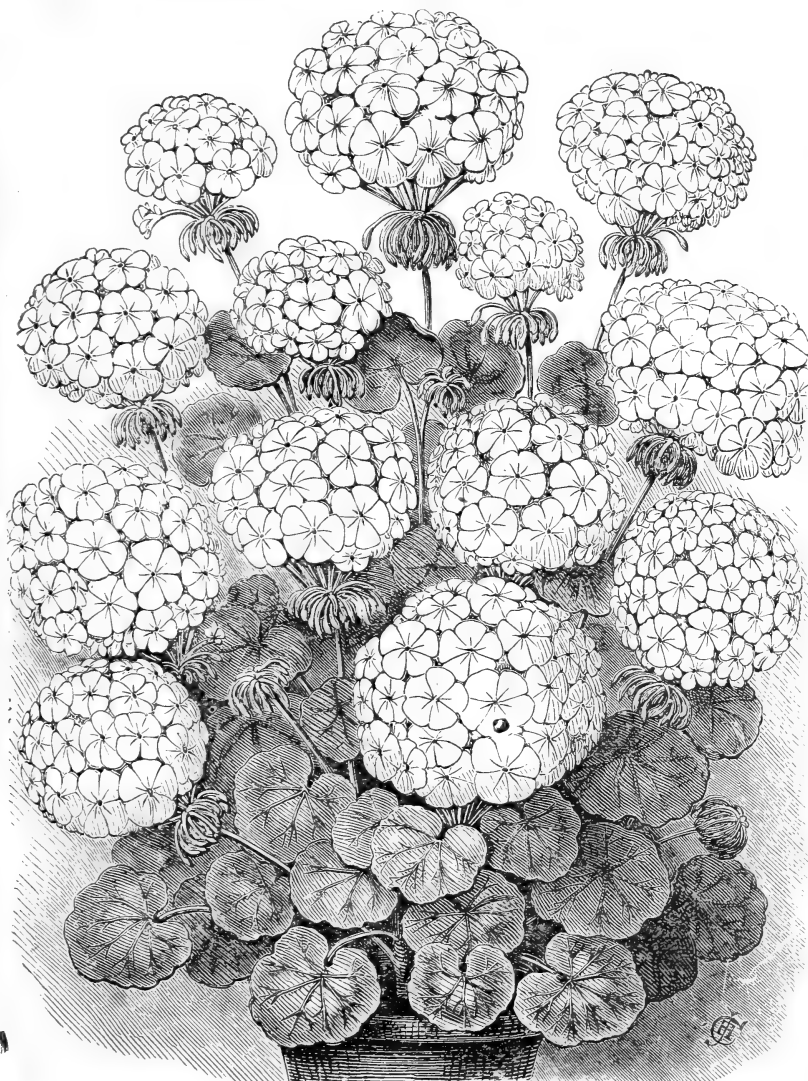


# The Monarch Collection

OF

## 16 Choicest Single Geraniums for \$1.00

Price per single plant 10c; any three for 25c; any eight for 50c. No further discount on this offer.



THE LOVELY MARGUERITE DE LAYRES

**The Bride**—A beautiful Geranium and a splendid bedder; color a soft blending of white and salmon.

**Madonna**—A magnificent bedding variety; trusses are of extraordinary size of almost pansy form; the color is a soft light pink a beautiful and distinct shade. This variety has been universally admired by all who have seen it in flower; a variety that will probably never be equalled.

**Crimson Beauty**—Dark crimson, shaded to dark scarlet; very dark and beautiful; the richest colored Geranium in existence.

**Francois Arago**—Single flowers finely formed; a free bloomer on strong foot-stalks; color, silvery-salmon, shaded peach. Fine, glistening texture.

**Monarch**—This is a superb new variety, both as to growth and bloom, and probably the largest flowering Geranium extant. It carries its immense trusses of vivid scarlet high above the foliage and is a continual mass of bloom during the entire summer. It well merits the proud name of Monarch.

**Marguerite de Layres**—A grand single white, plants a mass of white bloom, trusses of the grandest size, florets extra large and of the purest white. The plant is robust. Grand for pots or bedding. It is by far the best single white. (See cut.)

**P. A. Stewart**—A new Geranium and a new color very difficult to describe. It is a very light cerise pink-shaded salmon. A splendid bedder and exceedingly free bloomer.

**Fran Louise Volth**—Perhaps the grandest single pink Geranium out. Color a beautiful, clear, brilliant carmine rose, with a very large, pure white eye; trusses large and of a very beautiful shape.

**Giant**—A fine sort; bright crimson scarlet shaded vermilion; free bloomer; immense trusses,  $5\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 inches in diameter; a monstrous flower and a giant grower.

**The Beautiful Peach-Blossom Geranium, Souvenir de Mirande**—It is entirely distinct from any other variety shown and is quite different from the usual marked varieties that have from time to time made their appearance. It has round florets, upper petals cream-white with a distinct rosy-pink border, lower petals salmon-rose, streaked with pure white.

**Copernic**—Trusses largest size; florets perfect; rose and dark carmine; center white.

**Barbiset**—Individual flowers very large, borne on long foot stalks. Color fresh, bright pink, maculated with white on upper petals. Single flowers.

**General Grant**—One of the best bedding Geraniums in cultivation. Grows freely; blooms with greatest profusion; color a vivid scarlet.

**Granville**—A most beautiful, soft, delicate, pink color; very dwarf and free.

**Mrs. E. G. Hill**—Single. Florets  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches. The center of each petal is a soft, light salmon, bordered with rosy-salmon and veined deep rose. Frequently throws six petals.

**Mon. Poinsignon**—Color bright aurora rose, shaded salmon, with a white eye; large trusses of splendid shaded flowers.

## SIX BEAUTIFUL

## IVY GERANIUMS

Price 10, cents each; any Three for 25 cents; the Set of Six for 50 cents.

**New Double White Ivy Geraniums, "Joan of Arc."**

—This is one of the most beautiful plants that it has been our privilege to offer. The flowers are perfectly double, white as snow, and literally cover the plant when in full bloom. The foliage is extremely handsome, the dense, glossy green leaves making a most effective background for the great cluster of snow-white flowers. Price, 10 cents each.

**Souvenir Charles Turner**—One of the handsomest Ivy Geraniums ever introduced. Florets two and one-half inches, in trusses six inches across. The color is a deep bright pink, approaching scarlet in color; the upper petals feathered maroon. Quite double, awarded numerous certificates. Price, 10 cents each.

**Camille Flammarion**—A beautiful variety, and a general favorite with all lovers of the Ivy-leaf varieties. Flowers large, full, cup-shaped, and a deep rose color. Price, 10 cents each.

**Flourens**—Flowers very large and double; petals large, salmon, heavily shaded rose;

**New Hybrid Geranium, "Peter Crozy"**—A cross between the Ivy Geraniums and the Zonals. The foliage shows the blending of the two races, having the form of the Ivy and the substance and size of the Zonals. The flowers are brilliant scarlet, borne in the greatest profusion, the trusses measuring six inches across and the individual florets two inches. The habit is dwarf and compact; the flowers are semi-double and last a long time.

**Galilee**—Rich, deep pink, large flowers of good substance, and not only flowers in Summer, but will make a beautiful plant for the window in Winter. Price, 10 cents each.

These are splendid plants for vases and hanging baskets. They certainly are a beautiful sight, as they trail over and down the sides of the vases or baskets, and they are always in bloom.

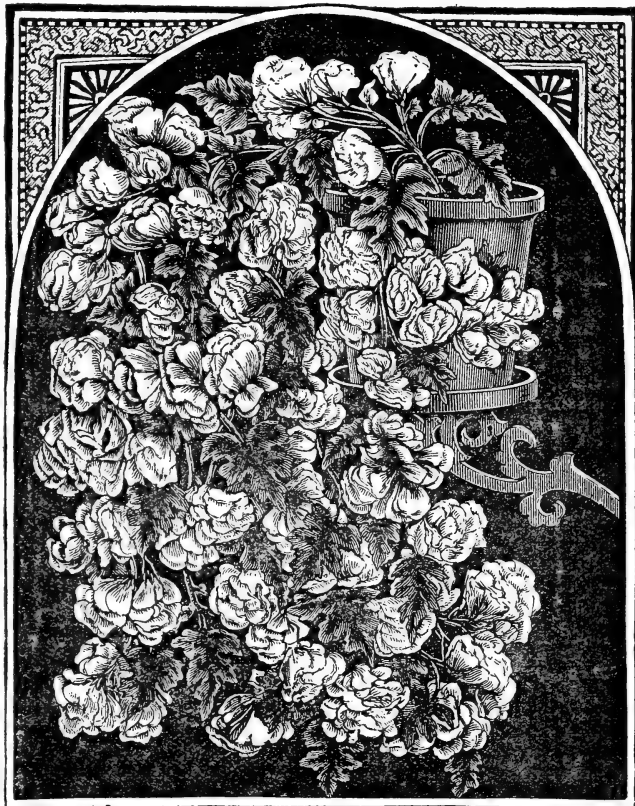
## BEAUTIFUL

## GOLDEN-BRONZE

## GERANIUMS..

These Geraniums make beautiful pot plants. They are also of great value in planting for ornamental bedding. We have a fine assortment at 10 cents each.

WE will send three distinct Bronze Geraniums for 25 cents. \* \* \* \*



"JOAN OF ARC."

## SWEET - SCENTED GERANIUMS

Price, 10 cents each, except where noted; any 3 for 25 cents

**Balm**—Large leaves, with very strong fragrance.

**Lemon-Scented**—Small leaves, with delightful lemon scent, one of the most pleasing varieties.

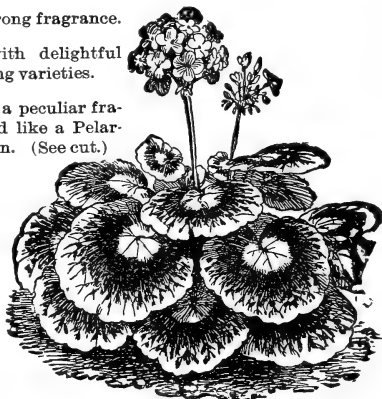
**Mrs. Taylor**—Dark green foliage of a peculiar fragrance. Flowers are scarlet, shaped like a Pelargonium and borne in great profusion. (See cut.)

**Rose**—Too well known to need description. They are indispensable in the formation of bouquets. We have two varieties; one is broad leaved and the other with fine cut leaves. Price, 8 cents each.

**Apple-Scented Geranium**—One of the best scented Geraniums. Velvety texture to the leaf and very fragrant. Price, 10 cents; three for 20 cents.



MRS. TAYLOR.



BRONZE GERANIUM.

# Novelties in Geraniums.



## GERANIUM SUNSET NEW DOUBLE ROSEBUD GERANIUM

(Florets like perfect Rosebuds.)

The habit of growth is dwarf and compact, making this variety one of the most desirable for pot culture. The novelty and merit, however, is principally in the flower, the perfect trusses of miniature rosebud florets, which are wonderfully attractive and pleasing. The color is bright scarlet, flamed with purple shadings, and the substance most lasting. A buttonhole bouquet of this variety will last longer than any other we know of, and then it is entirely unique. Certainly no Geranium in cultivation today is as distinct, and we are certain this remarkable novelty will make a sensation. Price, 10c each.

## The Lady Washington or PANSY GERANIUM.

We take pleasure in being able to offer plants of this very useful Pelargonium. There is nothing that gives better returns for a little care when grown in the window garden than this plant; it will be literally covered with flowers. The flowers are bright cherry red, with white at the base of each petal; the two upper petals are dark crimson-maroon. The flowers are of immense size and very freely produced. It is this combination of coloring with blotches which obtained for it the title of "Pansy Geranium." See cut. Price, 15c each.

## APPLE SCENTED GERANIUM

Has the fragrance of ripe apples. Well known favorite. Our plants of these are very fine. Price, 10c each.

## THE LOVELY GRAND NEW GOLDEN TRI-COLOR GERANIUM

# SUNSET

A magnificent variety, the green leaf disc overlaid by a beautiful bronze-red zone, belted with bright crimson and outwardly margined with golden-yellow. Very fine for the parlor or conservatory during the Winter and Spring. Price, 15c each.

## Three Splendid Silver Geraniums.

For Out-door Planting or Pots.

**Mountain of Snow**—A vigorous grower, abundant bloomer, and for ribbon lines of massing is one of the best. Center of leaf bright green; outer margin broadly marked silvery-white. One of the whitest leaved sorts, flowers bright scarlet. Largely used for edgings around beds of flowering Geraniums, and also beds of Coleus. Price, 10c each.

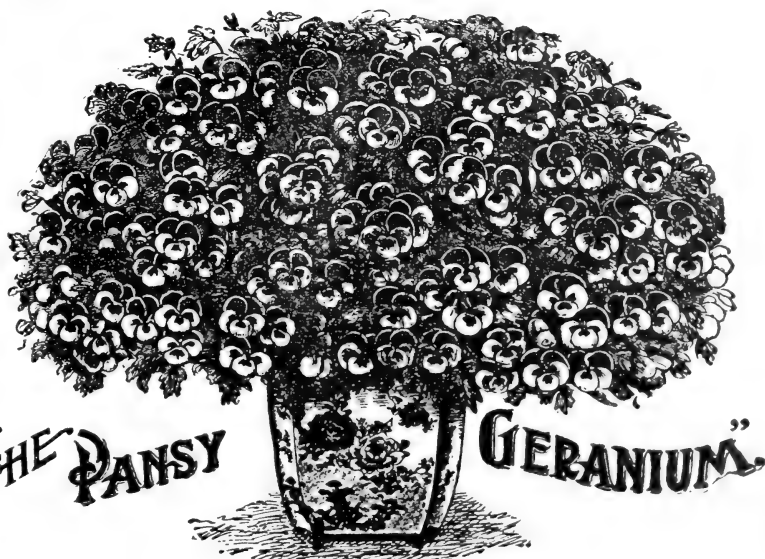
**Madame Salleron**—Fine variety of Silver Geranium; fine for massing or bordering; a thrifty, healthy grower. Leaves very small, a peculiar clear green, edged pure white. Price, 10c each.

**Happy Thought**—A tri-color Geranium with very dark-green foliage, having a light, creamy, almost white center, with a dark zone. Flowers bright scarlet. Price, 10c.

The Three Silver Geraniums for 25 Cents.

## THE QUEEN AMONG GERANIUMS, "SPRINGFIELD BEAUTY."

This lovely variety is simply exquisite, being a beautiful orange-salmon, center and outer petals veined deep salmon and shaded white towards the edge. It is a very strong grower and is an excellent bedder. A sterling novelty.



# CHOICEST FLOWERING BEGONIAS.

## OUR GENEROUS OFFER.

You may select any ten priced at 10 and 8 cents each for only 75 cents, or we will send 20 choice sorts strictly our selection, by express for only \$1.00.

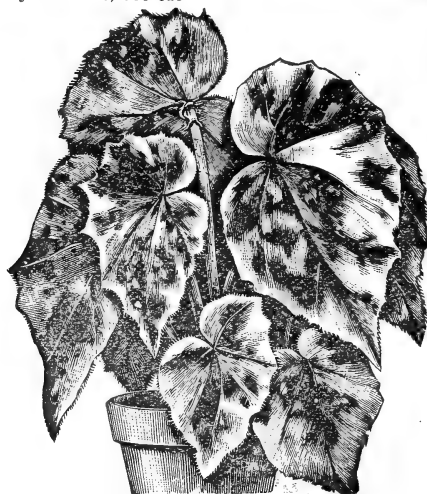
### THE GRAND NEW GIANT BEGONIA

#### SEMPER-FLORENS GIGANTEA ROSEA.

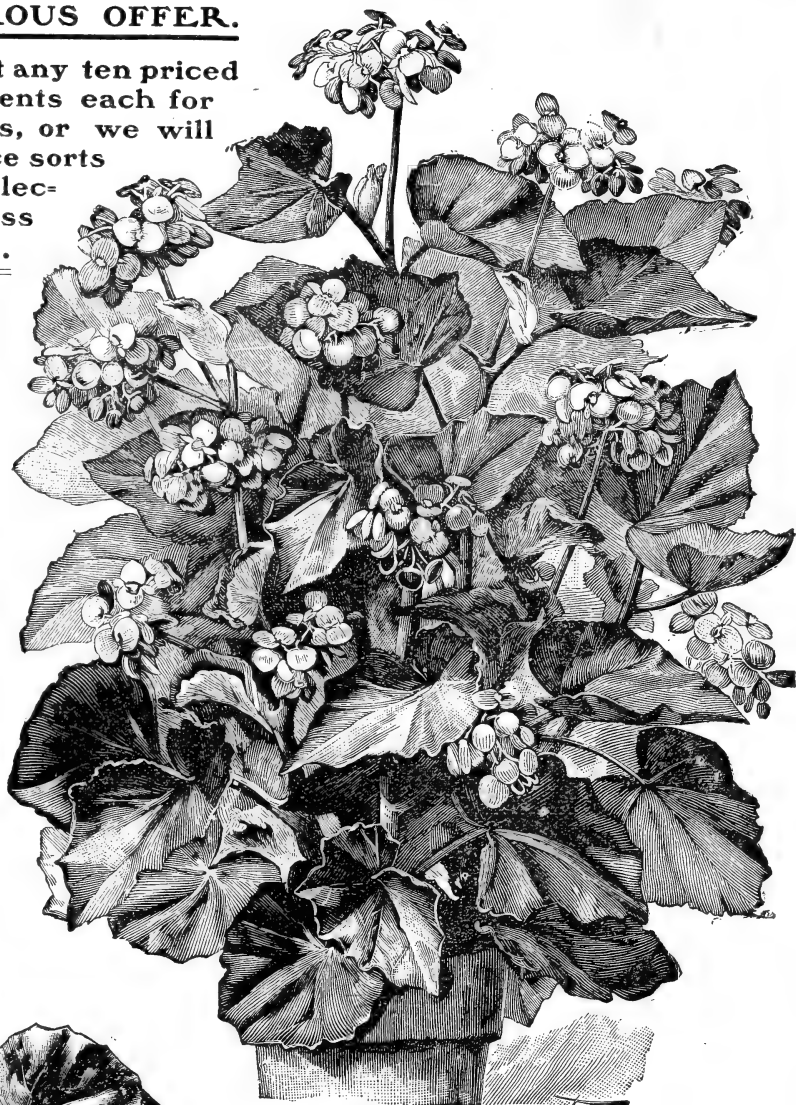
A superb variety, strong, upright, grows large flowers of clear cardinal red, the bud only exceeded in beauty by the open flower, which is borne on a strong, thick stem. The leaves are smooth and glossy and attached closely to the main stem; both leaf and stem are quite upright growing, and forming a shrubby round plant. Price, 15c each; two for 25c. (See cut )

#### BEGONIA, FEASTII.

A low, spreading Begonia, with perfectly circular leaves, red beneath and dark glossy green above, and of heavy texture. The finest pot Begonia we have for house culture. Don't fail to try it. Price, 15c each.



MANICATA AUREA.



GIGANTEA ROSEA.

#### NEW BEGONIA, MANICATA AUREA.

One of the most beautiful variegated plants within our knowledge. The plain green Begonia Manicata is a very beautiful variety, clean and glossy, bearing the veil of pink bloom above. But when we find Manicata beautifully blotched with cream color, often pure snow-white, deepening into canary, no other plant that we know carries such bold markings, nor in so pleasing combinations of colors. Every one who sees it admires it the most of any foliage plant we grow. Price, 25c each; three for 50 cents.

#### BEGONIA RUBRA.

If you can have only one begonia, let it be a Rubra, for it will prove a constant delight. It is so fast growing that it will, in a year or two, reach the top of your window, sending up heavy, stiff canes an inch in diameter, and rising beside them will grow, strong, slender branches, gracefully drooping under heavy, waxen leaves and pendant panicles of coral-colored flowers as large as a hand. Medium sized plants are frequently seen with more than twenty such panicles at a time. Among the individual panicles you will find three distinct forms growing side by side. Price, 10c each; large plants, 25 cents.



# FLOWERING BEGONIAS

(CONTINUED)

# Any Ten 75c

For Only.....

**ARGENTEA GUTTATA.** It has purple-bronze leaves, oblong in shape, with silvery markings, and is in every way a most beautiful Begonia. It produces white flowers in bunches on ends of growth stems. It will be splendid for house culture. Price, 10 cents each. See cut.

**BERTHA De CHATEAUROCHER.** Next to Dew drop, this is the finest flowering Begonia we have. It blooms the year round, makes a handsome window plant with its beautiful foliage and bright currant-red flowers. Price, 10 cents each.

**PRESIDENT CARNOT.** A remarkably strong growing variety; foliage very large; flowers beautiful coral red, in large pendant panicles, similar to Rubra, but very much larger. A great acquisition; one that is sure to succeed under all circumstances. Price, 10 cents each.

**SANDERSONII.** One of the best flowering Begonias. The flowers are a scarlet shade of crimson, borne in profusion for months at a time. Price, 10c each.

**DEWDROP.** Is always in bloom; will stand the strong sun during summer, and is one of the finest plants ever introduced. Flowering Begonias are the most satisfactory plants for house decoration. In the new Begonia Dewdrop we have the best flowering Begonia ever obtained. Price, 10 cents each.

**M. D. LESSEPS.** It is beautifully spotted with silver. A very strong, free-growing variety that will succeed with any ordinary care, growing rapidly and sending out quantities of lovely pink and white flowers. A magnificent Begonia. Price, 10c each.

**MARGUERITE.** Leaves a bronzy green, somewhat resembling Metallica, but growing a more bushy form, and easier to handle



ARGENTEA GUTTATA.



MONS. DE LESSEPS.

when grown for market. Large trusses of light, rose-colored flowers freely produced. Price, 10 cents each.

**HYBRIDA MULTIFLORA.** This beautiful plant makes a handsome specimen, with its graceful branches and pendulous flowers of bright, rosy pink. Very floriferous. Price, 8 cents each.

**M'BETHII.** Of the Weltoniensis type, with very deeply indented leaves, which are fine and small. Shrubby in growth and very free flowering, being constant the year round. A fine plant if given a light soil and perfect shade. Put it among your ferns. White flowers, waxy texture, carried in panicles. Price, 8 cents each.

**FOLIOSA.** Foliage small; contrasts well with its white bloom; elegant. Price, 8 cents each.

## ANGEL'S WING.

A handsome, compact growing variety. Leaves a silvery-green, dotted white; smooth and glossy. Flowers a lemon-white, produced in corymbs. Magnificent pot plant.

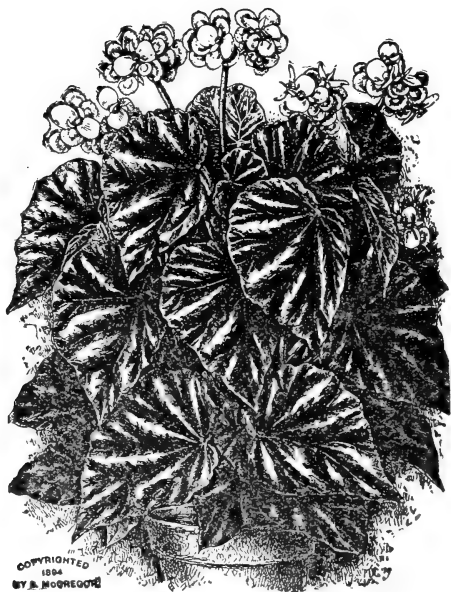
Price,  
10c each.



ANGEL'S WING.



## FLOWERING BEGONIAS—Continued.



BEGONIA THURSTONI.

## NEW BEGONIA THURSTONI.

This Begonia is a cross between *B. Metallica* and *B. Sanguinea*, having the bright-red foliage and veinings underneath the leaves, and bright metallic green, shading to red in the younger growth on top, with the deep veinings of the *Metallica* and smooth glossy leaves and red stems of the *Sanguinea*; the flowers are a beautiful deep pink in bud, but when expanded become a beautiful shell-pink. Price, 10 cents each.

## NEW BEGONIA, VERNON.

This elegant new variety is of unusual merit as a bedding sort, flowering fully as freely when planted out as when grown as a pot plant. It begins flowering when first planted and continues throughout the whole season until stopped by frost. Foliage rich glossy-green, often shaded deep bronze. Flowers at first opening are a deep red, changing to a beautiful clear rose in the fully open flower. It thrives everywhere and is destined to become one of the most popular of bedding plants. Price, 10 cents each.



ALBA PICTA.

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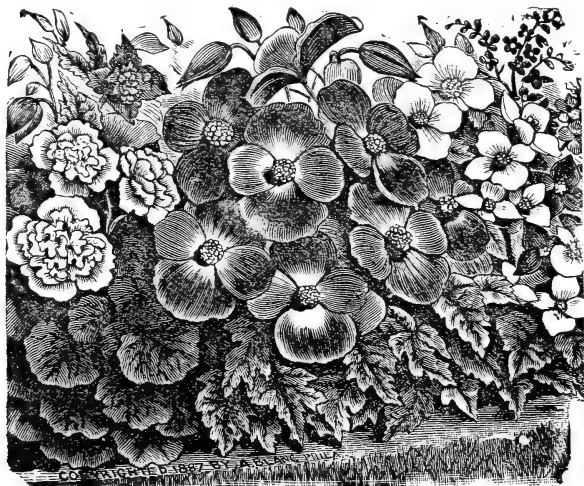
A perfectly distinct variety; shrubby in habit and of very compact growth, having slender, pointed leaves and short stems. The leaves are glossy green, thickly spotted with silver-white; foliage small and elegant. Branches upright and gracefully curving. Price, 10 cents each.

## FUCHSOIDES COCCINEA.

Elegant free-blooming variety; resembles *Hybrida Multiflora* in growth; flowers are bright scarlet. Price, 8 cents each.

## ALBA PERFECTA GRANDIFLORA.

(White Rubra.) We doubt if there is a white flowered variety that equals it. The foliage resembles *Rubra* in shape, but is a lighter green, while the flower panicles are much handsomer. It is a pure white flowering Begonia of much merit. Try it. Price, 10 cents each.



TUBEROUS BEGONIAS.

TUBEROUS-ROOTED..... **BEGONIAS**

These are among the very handsomest of our Summer blooming plants, flowering throughout the season, and as fine and varied in their color as the *Geranium* family. They are splendid bedders, delighting in a light soil of wood earth, very old cow manure and sharp sand. See that the bed is in partial shade, and you will be delighted with the results. In the South, or where they cannot be planted in the shade of a house, a covering of burlap or canvas, some six or eight feet above them, merely to throw off the sun's rays, will allow them to come to absolute perfection, but they must have plenty of light and air. Do not allow them to become dry, and during hot weather they will take two waterings a day, when through flowering they can be dried off, shaken free of earth, and wrapped in cotton until February or March, when they may be started again.

**SINGLE**—White, Yellow, Crimson, Rose, Scarlet. Price, 15c each, four for 40c.

**DOUBLE**—In same colors, 20c each; four for 60c.

# Showy Bedding Salvias

**Brilliant Flowers.  
and Foliage.**



SALVIA SPLENDENS, SILVERSPOT.

## **SALVIA SPLENDENS.**

One of the finest of all blooming plants, being completely covered in Autumn with long spikes of dazzling scarlet flowers, remaining in bloom until cut down by frost. Price, 8c each; four for 25c.

## **ALBA.**

A white variety of Splendens, identical in every respect, except color, which is pure white. Price, 8c each.

## **SPLENDENS VARIEGATA.**

White and red flowers, very evenly striped. Price, 8c each.



SALVIA SPLENDENS.

## **NEW SALVIA SPLENDENS "SILVERSPOT."**

The distinctive feature of this splendid novelty is its strikingly handsome spotted foliage. The leaves are rich, soft dark green, with light sulphur or cream-colored spots of various sizes liberally sprinkled over them. The intense, bright scarlet flowers are very large; the plants are of neat, compact habit. This will make a desirable bedding plant, rivaling the most gorgeous Coleus, its bright spotted leaves and brilliant scarlet flowers making it a most effective bedder. Price, 8c each; 4 for 25c; 10 for 50c; 25 for \$1.00.

## **The Wonderful Giant Blooming Hydrangeas. . .**

### **The Monstrous Flowered New Hydrangea, Monstrosa.**

This is a new plant of the greatest merit. Color of bloom intense rose, shaded white, borne in clusters over eighteen inches in diameter. The flowers of Monstrosa are twice the size of any other Hydrangea, quite small plants bearing blooms of the most enormous size, often staying on the bush for a month. Price, 10c each; 3 for 25c.

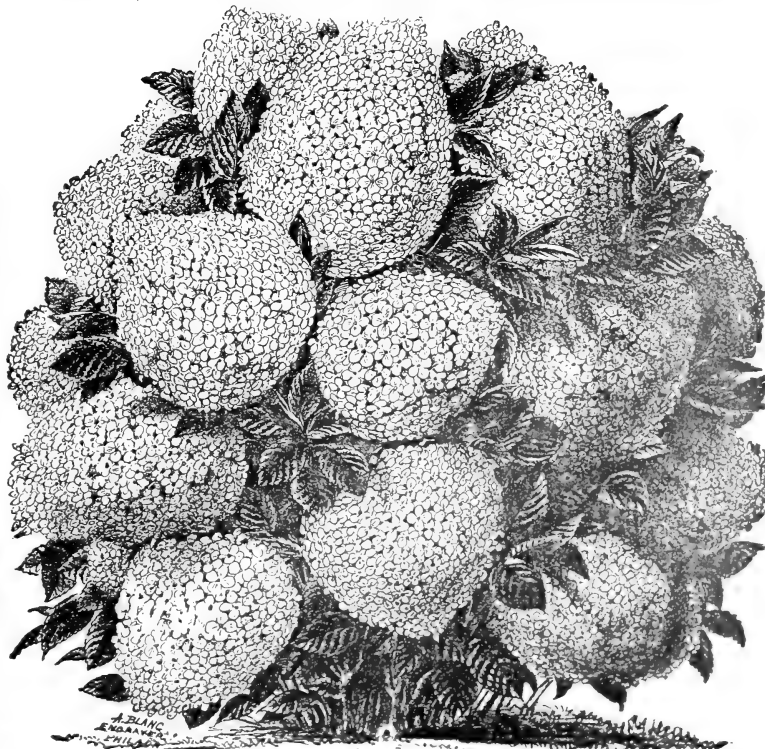
### **New Red-Branded Hydrangea, Ramus Pictus**

It is very handsome, the foliage being dark green, with black stems, making it very distinct. Flowers rosy-carmine, changing to blue, the dark green foliage and purple-black stems being in contrast with rosy-carmine flowers. Price, 15c each.

### **The Pure White Hydrangea, Thomas Hogg**

A pure white variety with trusses measuring fifteen inches in diameter. The plants, when full grown, attain a height and width of six feet. Perfectly hardy and is one of the finest plants for cemeteries. Price, 10c.

**SPECIAL OFFER.**—We will send one each of these three grand Hydrangeas for only 30 cents.



THE GIANT HYDRANGAEA MONSTROSA.

## NINE BEAUTIFUL AND EASILY GROWN FERNS.

THESE BEAUTIFUL PLANTS are now generally cultivated. Their great diversity and gracefulness of foliage make them much valued as plants for vases, baskets or rock work, or as specimen plants for parlor or conservatory. Keep them out of the direct sunlight, and water carefully, that the delicate roots lying near the surface may never become dry.



THE LOVELY BOSTON FERN.

### THE HOLLY FERN.

So called on account of the similarity of its foliage to that of holly—bright, glossy green. It has also been called *The Leather Fern*, on account of its easy culture. It is a tip-top house plant, easily grown. Price, 15c each.

### OUR SPECIAL OFFER IN CHOICE

#### FERNS AND PALMS.

For the benefit of those of our patrons who admire Palms and Ferns we make the following extremely liberal offer:

FOR ONLY \$1.00 we will send either by mail or express (but nicer and larger plants by express) four distinct Ferns all large, strong plants that will make beautiful specimens this summer, and three handsome Palms all distinct and all with character leaves out of four inch pots.

The varieties must be strictly our own selection but will consist of the very best varieties that grow.



THE SILVER FERN.

**The Boston Drooping Fern**—(*Nephrolepis Bostoniensis*). Of which much has been heard during the past year; of the same form as the Sword Fern, *Nephrolepis Exaltata*, but has larger and broader fronds; a more drooping habit. In well grown specimens the fronds attain a height of six to seven feet. Fine for hanging pots and baskets. Price, 10c each; large plants, 20c.

**Adiantum Cuneatum**—(Maiden Hair Fern). A very beautiful and graceful Fern, its delicate fronds being much used for cut flower work. Price, 15c each.

**Sword Fern**—(*Nephrolepis Exaltata*). A really graceful Fern, multiplying very fast in throwing out vines, on which grow separate plants again. Price, 15c.

**Nephrolepis Cordata Compacta**—A new Sword Fern. A decided improvement on the old variety; is more dwarf and compact and will produce three times the number of fronds. Introduced last year for the first time. Price, 15c each.

**Pteris Cretica Alba Lineata**—A very handsome Fern, nicely variegated; grows very rapidly into handsome plants. Price, 15c.

**Pteris Tremula**—Shaking Fern. One of the finest Ferns for house decoration, growing very rapidly, and throwing up large, handsome fronds. It makes magnificent specimens. Easily grown and popular. Price, 15c.

**Pteris Argentea**—(Silver Fern). A very showy Fern with variegated foliage; fronds large, light green with a broad band of silver-white down the center of each. Very distinct. Price, 25c each.

**Pteris Serrulata**—A useful basket variety of graceful habit. 10c.

### SPECIAL OFFER

You may select any five of the above choice Ferns for 50 cents.



THE SHAKING FERN.



This collection of Ferns and Palms is net and subject to no further discount.

# ... Handsome Decorative Palms ...

The Palms Listed Here are the Best and Easiest Grown of all the Palm Family.



CYCAS REVOLUTA.

## KENTIA FOSTERIANA

This is one of the finest pot plants imaginable and the easiest to grow of any of the Palm family. Being almost hardy, it is not injured by slight changes in temperature, and its stiff, glossy leaves enable it to stand the dry, hot air of the living room without injury. The leaves are a deep, glossy-green, fan-shaped, split deeply into segments. This is, without exception, the most hardy of its class. Very graceful for table decoration. Scarcely equaled. Price, nice, strong plants, with character leaves, out of three-inch pots, 25c each; strong, handsome plants, from four-inch pots, 50c each; nice specimens from five and six inch-pots \$1.50 each. This last size must be sent by express.



## CYCAS REVOLUTA

SAGO PALM.

The Cycas makes a magnificent specimen plant, and is one of the most valuable plants grown for the decoration of the lawn or house. Their heavy, glossy, deep green fronds resist alike the gas, dust and cold to which decorative plants are frequently exposed. Price, fine, shapely plants out of six-inch pots \$1.00 each; extra fine large specimens out of seven-inch pots, \$1.50 each, can only be sent by express.

## LANTANIA BORBONICA.

The well-known Fan Palm. This is one of the most exquisitely graceful among Palms. Its wide-spreading, gracefully arching leaves are elegant and effective for apartment decoration. It is considered the handsomest and most valuable of all the Palms. Nice plants showing character leaves, from three-inch pots, 25c each; strong, handsome plants, from four-inch pots, 50c each; splendid specimens from five and six-inch pots \$1.00 and \$1.50 each. These last two sizes must be sent by express.

## PANDANUS UTILIS

SCREW PINE.

A grand decorative plant. Its glossy dark-green foliage, gracefully arranged renders it particularly attractive; fine for centers of vases or baskets, or for growing as single specimens. Price, 25c each; larger, by express, 50c each.



LANTANIA BORBONICA.

## KENTIA BELMOREANA

The Kentias are among the best of the Palm species for general cultivation being almost impregnable against disease. This variety is one of the best in its class—graceful habit, bright-green foliage, gracefully disposed. As a decorative plant for the window, dinner table or conservatory, it scarcely has an equal. Price, nice young plants, with character leaves, 25c each; elegant plants out of four-inch pots, 50c each; beautiful specimens from six-inch pots \$1.50 each. The last size must be sent by express.

NOTE—We strongly advise having all Palms sent by express. Our large size plants cannot be sent by mail.



# Four Grand New Cannas

New and Rare, the Cream of the New Ones.

**SPECIAL OFFER:** We will send one each of these four grand new Cannas for only 50 cents.

## **Pres. McKinley**

Brightest crimson, shaded scarlet. Plant is dwarf rarely exceeding 2½ or 3 feet. Foliage rich green with chocolate colored margin. One of the finest and earliest flowering sorts. Price, 15c each.

## **Pres. Cleveland**

Brilliant orange scarlet, a perfect mass of bloom from early in the Summer until cut down by frost. Individual flower broad and nicely formed, made up into immense heads of bloom, held well above the foliage. Price, 15c each.

## **Souv. de Antoine Crozy**

One of the brightest colored Cannas grown; brilliant scarlet-crimson, bordered with a broad band of rich golden-yellow. Trusses large and erect, made up of a large number of good-sized, well rounded flowers. A very free blooming variety, and splendid dwarf, though vigorous grower. Price, 15c each.

## **Duke of**

## **Marlborough**

The darkest Canna known, a beautiful crimson maroon. This is a sturdy, erect grower, fine metallic green foliage. No matter how many varieties you may have, you need this one to make your collection complete, for it is entirely distinct from all others. Price, 15 cents each.

A BLOOM OF THE  
SOUV. DE  
ANTOINE CROZY.

## The Wonderful New Giant Foliage Plant

### **Musa Ensete.**

The luxuriant bright green foliage and fast growing qualities make this one of the most desirable lawn plants. Often grows from eight to twelve feet high with leaves 20 to 30 inches across, producing a grand tropical effect on the lawn, terrace or flower garden. Give good rich soil and plenty of moisture. It is as easy to grow as the Cannas. Price, large plants from five inch pots 50c each; larger plants from six and seven inch pots 75c each. Both sizes must be sent by express.



THE GIANT MUSA PLANT.



TEN MAGNIFICENT

**NEW EVER-BLOOMING CANNAS**

AMERICA'S MOST POPULAR BEDDING PLANT.

This Superb Collection Includes only the very Choicest Sorts and the Widest Range of Color.

A SPLENDID OFFER—We will send five distinct, new, large, flowering Cannas from this set for only 50 cents, or the entire set of ten choicest sorts for only \$1.00. No discount on this offer.

**The Royal New Canna,  
QUEEN CHARLOTTE**

Bright orange-scarlet, deeply edged bright canary-yellow. The flowers are very large, with broad, well-rounded petals, borne in immense heads, well above the foliage. The leaves are large, musa-like, deep green. Plant is of dwarf, sturdy habit. Price, 15c each.

**The New White Canna,  
"ALSACE"**

A vigorous grower, green foliage, four feet high; produces from 12 to 18 trusses of flowers in a season; an early and continuous bloomer. The trusses upon opening, are of a delicate sulphur-yellow, changing very soon, however, to a creamy white, without spots. Price, 10c each.

**The Gilt-Edged Canna,  
MADAME CROZY**

Undoubtedly the grandest of all varieties. The color is a brilliant vermillion-scarlet, bordered with deep golden-yellow; flowers are borne in great clusters, and in such profusion that they crown the plant with a blaze of growing color. Price, 10c each.

**The Lovely Orchid Flowering  
Canna,  
ITALIA**

One of the wonders of recent introduction, with large, musa-like foliage. The flower spikes produce a number of extraordinarily large flowers of a beautiful scarlet color, edged with yellow; a plant that should be in every collection. Price, 10 each.

**The Handsome Lily Flowered  
Canna,  
AUSTRIA**

A companion to Canna, Italia; the same wonderful qualities of growth and flowers, with the exception that its wonderful large blooms are of a beautiful canary yellow. Price, 10c each.

**The Beautiful New Spotted Canna,  
FLORENCE VAUGHAN**

Conceded by all who have seen it to be the finest yellow-spotted Canna. Flowers very large, of the most perfect form, with broad, overlapping petals, nicely rounded at the ends. Color brilliant yellow, spotted with bright red. A strong, robust grower, and flowers very freely. Price, 10 each.

**The New Salmon-Colored Canna,  
PAUL MARQUANT**

The individual flowers are large, and the flowers' spike very large, each flower standing out separately by itself. The color is very hard to describe. It might be described as a bright salmon with a carmine tint. Price, 10c each.

**Rich Crimson-Flowered Canna,  
CHARLES HENDERSON**

A splendid dwarf, compact grower, throwing up direct,



NEW CANNA, QUEEN CHARLOTTE.

compact heads of blooms of immense size. The individual flowers are among the very largest. Color, dark crimson; center of the flowers marked with gold pencilings. One of the very finest varieties. Price, 10c each.

**The Stately Dark-Leaved Canna,  
EGANDALE**

One of the finest dark-leaved Cannas for bedding that has yet come under our notice. The foliage is good, habit sturdy. Flowers of good size, borne in compact heads. The color is a deep currant-red, different from any other. Price, 15c each.

**The Grand Bedding Canna,  
BEAUTY POITEVINE**

Bright, rich crimson, growing 3 to 3½ feet high, stands drouth and heat better than any other variety. A fine bedding Canna, having bright green foliage and good sized trusses of flowers on erect flower spikes. Price, 15c each.

# TEN GIANT FLOWERING HIBISCUS

Price, 10 cents each; any three for 25 cents.

## SPECIAL OFFER.

We will send the full set of ten best varieties of Hibiscus for only 75c.

Large growing tropical plants with very glossy foliage. The plants under the hottest sun, produce enormous flowers in great numbers, and make noble specimens. They can be grown in tubs and kept for years. The blossoms average five or six inches in diameter, and are gorgeously colored.

### Aurantica

Large, double, orange-colored flowers; early and profuse bloomers. 10c each.

### Carminatus Perfectus.

Full, round flowers of perfect shape and of a rich, soft, carmine rose, with a deep crimson eye. A beautiful free blooming variety 10c each.

### Decorus.

Foliage very large and lobed; flowers enormous, on long stems, of a beautiful rosy-carmine color; the stamens and pistils are very showy; the stigma is large, circular and golden-yellow. 10c each.

### Sub-Violeaceous

Flowers of enormous size, of a beautiful carmine tinted with violet; probably the largest flower of the Hibiscus family. 10c each.

### Rosa Sinensis.

Flowers red and very large, averaging nearly five inches in diameter. 10c each.

### Rubra.

A magnificent double variety, with large red flowers. 10c each.

### Gen. de Courtigis.

A very grand, large-sized flower; single, light scarlet; very showy. 10c each.



HIBISCUS RUBRA.

### Grandiflorus.

Rich, glossy foliage, blooming profusely through the Summer, literally covering the plants with scarlet crimson single flowers. 10c each.

### Double Hibiscus Zebrinus.

Petals scarlet, edged and striped with creamy-yellow and white. A unique variety. 10c each.

### Collerii.

Flowers buff-yellow with a crimson-scarlet base. Peculiarly handsome. 10c each.

## TWO BEAUTIFUL NEW HIBISCUS

SPECIAL OFFER—We will send these two new Hibiscus for only 25 cents.

### New Hibiscus, PEACHBLOW.

This is one of the finest plant novelties offered in recent years. The flowers are double, and from 4 to 5 inches in diameter. Color a clear, rich pink, with a small, deep crimson center, an entirely new and most beautiful shade. Price, 15c each.

### The Wonderful Hibiscus,

### DENNISONII ROSEA.

The most distinct of all Hibiscus. On account of the difficulty in propagating it will always be scarce. Color a delicate carmine, and changes to pure white. Price, 15c each.

A Magnificent Hardy Climbing Vine,

# The Mountain Beauty

Or, "Queen's Wreath."

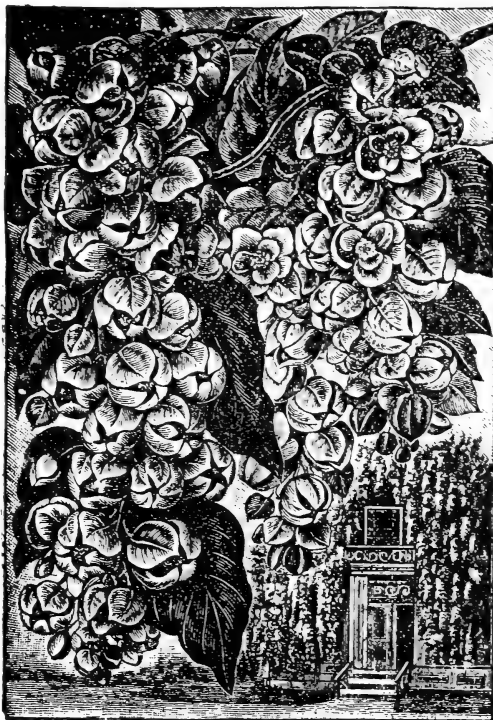
(Antigonon leptopus.) Is absolutely hardy, and once planted is practically everlasting. The foliage, as well as habit of growth resembles Ampelopsis Veitchi, one of the most popular and valuable of hardy climbers. It surpasses Ampelopsis Veitchi, however, inasmuch as it produces immense clusters of the most exquisite flowers imaginable. The flowers are borne in prodigious profusion. Price, 10c each; three for 25c.

The Latest Novelty in Hardy Plants,

# Golden Glow

(Rudbeckia Laciniata) Fl. Pl.

A magnificent, hardy, perennial plant growing eight feet high; branching freely, bearing by the hundreds on long, graceful stems, exquisite double blossoms of the brightest golden color, large as Cactus Dahlias. It grows vigorously, and throws up strong branching flower stems six feet high, laden with sheaves of golden blossoms as large as fair Chrysanthemums, and all having an elegant, graceful appearance without any of the stiffness in habit of blossoms peculiar to sunflowers. As cut flowers the blossoms last well. Most effective flowering plant for August and September cultivation. Price, strong plants which will bloom freely this season, 10c each; three for 25c.



BEAUTIFUL VINE, "QUEEN'S WREATH."



QUEEN OF NIGHT CACTUS.



## The Lovely Queen of Night ...Cactus...

Decidedly the grandest flowering plant in cultivation. Imagine a dozen flowers unfolding with the setting sun hundreds of white wax-like petals encircled by a wreath of gold, in continual motion. Imagine such a flower, three feet in circumference, perfuming the surrounding air with the most delicious fragrance known. Does it not deserve its royal title? It grows and blooms with the greatest ease, requires absolutely no care, living for months without water, increasing in value yearly. We have the genuine variety, the only one with fragrant flowers twelve to twenty inches across.

Can furnish nice plants for 10c each; three for 25c.

# Our Magnificent New Bedding Verbenas.

MAMMOTH BLOOMS AND GORGEOUS COLORS.

**OUR SPECIAL OFFER**—For 50 cents we will send twelve choice Mammoth Verbenas, in splendid variety. These will make a beautiful bed and will be a mass of bloom all Summer.

**Verbena, Mammoth Flowering**—In this grand new strain has been developed a mammoth Verbena that produces uniformly magnificent large trusses, with flowers of unusual size and of a wide range of colors. The individual blossoms are frequently larger than a silver quarter. Take a quarter and try to cover any of the single flowers of the corymb, and you will realize how magnificent in size are the single florets. Our plants are in splendid condition, strong and healthy, being grown in a very cool temperature, and include all the beautiful showy colors which characterize this handsome bedder. Price, 8c each; 5 for 25c.

**New Pure White Verbena, Mrs. McKinley**—This is the most beautiful of all the white large flowering Verbenas. Price, 8c each.

**New Striped Mammoth Verbena, "Zebra"**—This is a most beautiful variety, very large and striped white on a red ground. See cut. Price, 10c each.

**New Blood Red Verbena, "Dazzler"**—This is without doubt the most brilliant colored of any flower that grows. It is very large and such a vivid red that it really dazzles the eye to look at it. Price, 8c each.

**New Pink Verbena, "Peerless"**—A magnificent Verbena, extremely large, soft glowing pink. Price, 8c each.

**New Blue Verbena, "Blue Boy"**—As the name implies it is a magnificent, large flowering blue variety. It is indeed a beauty. Price, 8c each.



MAMMOTH VERBENA, ZEBRA.

**New Mammoth Verbena, "Royal Purple"**—This is a grand and beautiful sort, very large and free flowering. Color a rich shade of purple. Price, 8c each.



COLEUS IN SIX INCH POT.

## Our Beautiful New Bedding Coleus

**C**OLEUS represents more colors in their variegation than any other plant. They are certainly the most popular of colored foliage plants. Whether grown as single specimens or in masses of ribbon lines, they are equally attractive. They are of the easiest culture and well adapted to our climate, flourishing in the hottest sun, as well as displaying their beautiful colors in the shady corner, where hardly any other plant would do. Plants should be set about a foot apart, so that when the size of the bed is ascertained it is easy to figure how many plants are needed of each kind in a row. All are good bedders and will stand the hot sun without losing their brilliant coloring. Price, 6c each.

## A Big Bargain in Coleus.

We will send ten distinct new sorts for 50 cents; twenty-four distinct sorts for \$1.00 by mail, postpaid. If ordered by express we will send thirty for \$1.00. We can supply leading bedding Coleus, in good variety, at \$2.50 per hundred by express.

### NOTE

Some varieties of Coleus make beautiful pot plants if kept pinched back so as to make them grow bushy. We will send five beautiful sorts, suitable for growing in pots, for only 25 cents.



## The Lovely, Everblooming PARIS DAISIES OR MARGUERITES

New Paris Daisy, Mad. Gailbert—(Marguerites.) This is one of the finest new plants that has ever been introduced. Nothing can be imagined that is finer. All know the old varieties of Paris Daisies, how beautiful and much sought after for decoration of all kinds. This new variety blooms constantly and will produce ten blooms to the older variety's one. Nothing is so airy and graceful as these blossoms of large white petals, showing a yellow disk. Price, 10c each; three for 25c.

Etoile de Or—(Marguerite.) The new yellow Paris Daisy, similar to the above, but a rich golden color. The two varieties go handsomely together. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents. The two varieties for 15 cents.

We advise our customers to plant these Daisies largely. A half dozen or dozen plants will be a constant source of delight.

## THREE SPLENDID OLEANDERS

Yellow, White and Pink.

Nothing nicer for porch or lawn decoration. Give good rich soil and plenty of moisture during growing season. May be wintered over in any cellar where it does not freeze.

Madonna Grandiflora—Large flowered double white. This is a beautiful sort and is always scarce. We have a very fine stock of them. Price, nice plants, 10c each; large plants from four-inch pots, 25c each.

Yellow Oleander—(Lutea.) A new and scarce variety, with light, yellow-colored blossoms. A decided novelty. Price, nice plants, 10c each; large plants from four-inch pots, 25c each.

Oleander Rose Queen—The oldest and finest of all varieties in cultivation; flowers double and rose colored. Price, nice plants, 10c each; large size 25c each.

*We will send the three varieties of Oleanders, very fine plants, for 25 cents.*



PETUNIA ESMERALDA.

## OUR NEW PRIZE STRAIN DOUBLE PETUNIAS

### *The Grand, New, Variegated Double Petunia Esmeralda.*

This splendid Petunia is one of the very largest and best of the new, large-flowering varieties. It is a strong grower and free bloomer, and is beautifully variegated purple and white. Price, 10 cents each.

### *The Charming, New Mottled Double Petunia Excelsior.*

This is another handsome and showy variety, exceedingly double, a robust grower and profuse bloomer. Price, 10 cents each.

### *The Pure White Double Petunia Seafoam.*

A lovely new Petunia, very large; nicely fringed, pure white and always in bloom. Price 10 cents each.

**OUR SPLENDID OFFER—** We will send these three handsome new Petunias, nice plants, for only 25 cents.



EVER-BLOOMING PARIS DAISY.





WHITE SPIDER LILY.

### THE NEW HARDY WHITE SPIDER LILY.

This grand new Spider Lily has the advantage of being perfectly hardy, and when left undisturbed a few years forms large imposing clumps that are a mass of clustered heads of pure white, fragrant flowers. The flowers have a peculiar, striking beauty, which must be seen to be appreciated. The flowers are borne in large clusters, are of waxy whiteness and unsurpassed fragrance. More beautiful than most of the high-priced Lilies. An extra choice garden flower which we cannot too strongly recommend. Also a fine pot plant. Fine flowering bulbs, 20c each; three for 50c.



SMILAX VINE.

### THE BEAUTIFUL AND FRAGRANT CHINESE OR OTAHEITE ORANGE. BLOOMS AND FRUITS WHEN QUITE SMALL.



A dwarf Orange, which grows, blooms and fruits freely in pots. The fruit is about one-half the size of ordinary Oranges and very sweet and delicious. Blossoms are produced in great abundance. Blooms freely during Winter, though likely to bloom at any time. The plants we offer are strong, and can be ready to bloom and fruit the coming Winter. Price, fine young plants, 10c each; large size, 25c each. Extra large fruiting size out of five and six inch pots by express only 50 and 75 cents each.

### NEW PINK JAPANESE SPIDER LILY.

The white Spider Lily pleases every one so well after being brought to their notice that this bright colored variety cannot fail to create a great sensation and become immensely popular. A clump of bulbs produces a large number of spikes of the most delicate flowers, varying their colors from a pinkish-salmon to pink, while many sorts produce flowers of a bright vermilion and a deep scarlet. The petals are beautifully undulated, and by an artificial light they sparkle like jewels. The bulbs are not as large as the white variety. Price, 20c each; three for 50 cents.

### THE LOVELY SMILAX - - VINE - -

This very great climber is a great addition to basket plants, possessing the rare qualities of delicate and tolerably dense foliage and vining habit. For using for a green with cut flowers it has no equal, its hard texture enabling it to keep several days without wilting after being cut. It is also fine as a parlor or window plant. Price, 6c each; three for 15 cents.

# A Page of Rare Foliage and Flowering Plants



CAMELLIA JAPONICA.

*The Royal Plant,*

## CAMELLIA JAPONICA

The royal family of greenhouse plants. Leaves glossy-green and flowers of the most exquisite beauty and waxy texture. From pure white to crimson in almost endless variation. The pure white ones are generally prized above the colored varieties. Their culture is nearly related to that of the Azalea, but their success is more certain. Requires shade and moisture throughout the hot season. Their time of blooming is Winter and early Spring. Requires a moderate and uniform temperature with as little artificial heat as possible. When set with flower buds great care must be taken in watering—when left too dry the buds are sure to drop. We have a fine assortment. Price, for very large, strong plants, by express, 60c and 75c each.

*The Grandest of all Decorative Plants,*

## ARAUCARIA EXCELSA,

(Norfolk Island Pine)

Various names have been selected for this grand plant to properly convey to the mind the appearance of it. Some have called it the "Christmas Tree Palm" from its resemblance to a Christmas tree; others have called it the "Star Palm," because the leaves are arranged to form a perfect star, but no descriptive name can give any adequate idea of its beauty. It has deep green, feathery foliage, arranged in whorls, rising one above the other at regular distances; its symmetry of form, grace and beauty of foliage are unequalled in the vegetable kingdom. It is easily grown in the house and is highly ornamental. Extra fine plants, 4 and 5 tiers of leaves, \$1.50 each. These can only be sent by express. Nice plants, 3 or 4 tiers of leaves, \$1.00 each.

## FICUS ELASTICA,

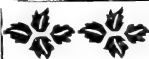
(India Rubber Tree)

Very large, smooth, leathery leaves, evergreen foliage. Generally esteemed one of the finest house plants grown, the plant attaining a large size and tree shape. Each new leaf is enclosed in a long, coral-red envelope, looking like a great red flower bud. Price, fine plants, 50c and 75c each. See cut.

*The Grand New Hardy Blood Red Peong (Piney)*

## BANDIT.

This is a splendid new variety of this favorite hardy garden plant. The flowers are of immense size and of a brilliant red color. It is quite hardy, very double, and the freest blooming of all the Peonies. Price, strong blooming roots 25 cents each; three for 50 cents.



### NOTE

Our Camellias for this Spring are the largest and finest we ever saw

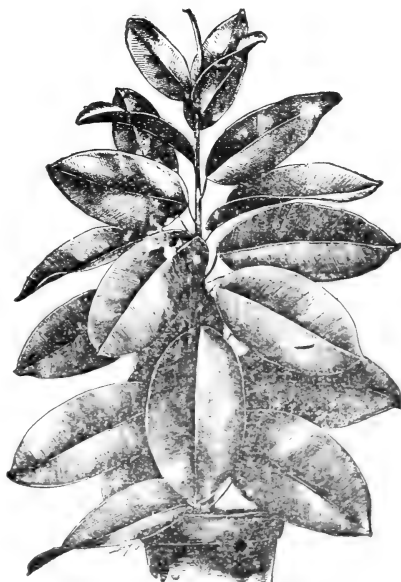


AZALEA INDICA.

## AZALEA INDICA

One of the most gorgeously blooming families, together with the showiest of all greenhouse plants. The colors of the flower vary from the purest white to the deepest crimson in untold variations. The soil should always be packed hard when transplanted. Their success depends, however, on the degree of moisture in the atmosphere in which they live. We have a number of the best flowering sorts that will flower finely this coming Winter, both double and single flowered, in any color desired. The plants we offer are magnificent specimens, the finest you have ever seen, and all will bloom this year. Price, fine large plants, three years old, 75c each. Must be sent by express.

N. B.—Be sure and try our Azaleas. They will not disappoint you. In ordering name the color you wish. We can furnish them in the following colors: White, pink, crimson, salmon, rosy-lilac, and white striped with crimson.



FICUS ELASTICA—RUBBER PLANT.

## FRAGRANT HELIOTROPES

These are universal favorites on account of their delightful fragrance. Flowering equally well as bedding plants in Summer or as pot plants in the house during Winter. Price, 10c Each.

**Albert Delaux**—A French variety of great beauty. Foliage is a bright golden-yellow, very pronounced, and marked slightly with delicate green. In bloom it is exquisitely beautiful, the deep lavender color of the flower contrasting admirably with the ever varying foliage. Very free flowering.

**Snow Wreath**—The nearest approach to pure white we have in the Heliotrope. Exquisite fragrance.

**Mrs. David Wood**—It is a very nice, distinct Heliotrope, with large trusses of violet flowers with light center.

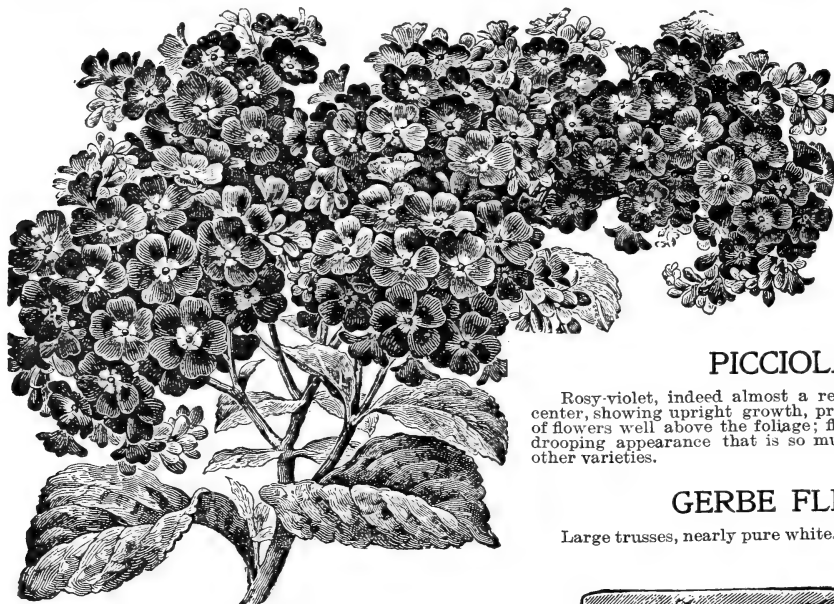
**Madame Bruant**—One of the finest we have ever seen. Plant dwarf and exceedingly free-blooming, immense panicles of very large flowers; rich purple, with large white eye.

**Florence Nightingale**—Dark lavender. Fine.

**WE WILL SEND THESE FIVE BEST HELIOTROPES FOR 40 CENTS.**



MADAME BRUANT.



NEW HELIOTROPE PICCIOLA.

Two Splendid New  
**HELIOTROPES**

Price, 15 cents each  
 the Two New Varieties for 20. cents.

### PICCIOLA.

Rosy-violet, indeed almost a red, with a distinct white center, showing upright growth, producing immense heads of flowers well above the foliage; flowers do not have that drooping appearance that is so much against some of the other varieties.

### GERBE FLEUR.

Large trusses, nearly pure white. A magnificent variety.

### SUMMER-FLOWERING OXALIS.

They are very effective in masses or beds, and are particularly valuable for edgings. The bulbs, when planted three inches apart, produce an unbroken row of elegant foliage and pretty flowers. The bulbs, which are the size of peas, or larger, planted the first of May, or earlier, will flower by the first of June, and will furnish a neat and attractive border the whole season. They are also very beautiful grown in hanging baskets.

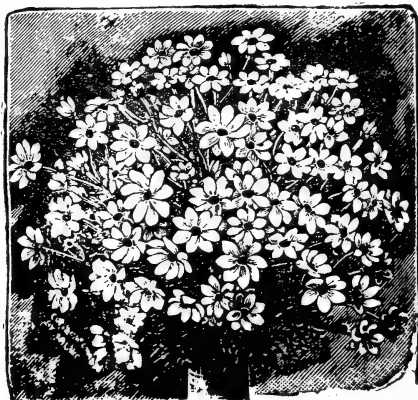
**Dieppi**—Pure white.  
**Lasandria**—Rosy pink.  
**Purpurea**—Fine purple.

 **PRICE 20 CENTS PER DOZEN.** 

### ALOYSIA CITRODORA, Lemon Verbena.

Indispensable for the delightful fragrance of its leaves in the construction of bouquets, etc.

**PRICE, 10 Cents Each.**



OXALIS.

# THREE BEAUTIFUL PLUMBAGOS

LIGHT BLUE, PURE WHITE, AND DARK BLUE

**PLUMBAGOS** The Plumbagos are always satisfactory plants, either for pot culture or for the garden. They are constant bloomers, and their delicate and graceful flowers are very useful for cutting.

**Capensis Alba**—The counterpart of *Plumbago Capensis*, excepting in color, which is creamy white. A constant bloomer. A splendid new sort. Price, 10c each.

**Capensis**—A well-known favorite, and always valuable because it produces large trusses of beautiful light blue flowers. Price, 10c each. See cut.

**The Hardy Plumbago** *Lady Larpent*—This beautiful variety of *Plumbago* (*P. Larpentae*) is unquestionably the most distinct and valuable hardy herbaceous plant now in cultivation. The plants are strong, upright in habit, growing to a height of 12 to 15 inches in compact clumps, and from the middle of July until severe frost are covered with rich, violet blue colored flowers, borne in close terminal heads.

The foliage is unique, finely serrated and fringing the stems. We heartily recommend this fine variety for edging walks, beds or borders, or single specimens set in mixed flower vases or beds, where they appear in lovely contrast with other flowers. Price, 15c each.



BLUE PLUMBAGO CAPENSIS.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—The three fine Plumbagos for only 25 cents

## TWO BEAUTIFUL DECORATIVE PLANTS

INDISPENSABLE TO THE WINDOW GARDEN

**NEW ASPARAGUS SPRENGERII** A desirable species, useful as a pot plant or for baskets; fronds frequently 4 feet long; a rich shade of green, retaining freshness for weeks after cutting; fine house plant, as it withstands dry atmosphere. Price, 10c each; extra large plants, 20c each.

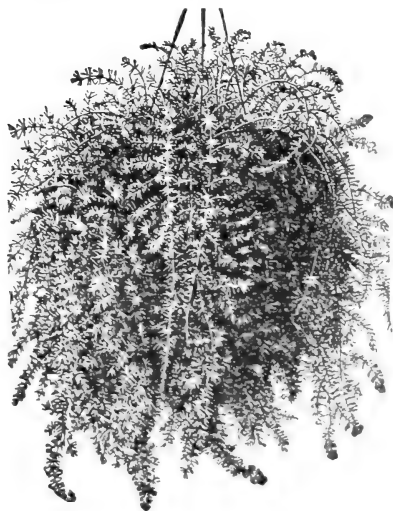
**SPECIAL OFFER** We will send one each of these beautiful Climbing Asparagus in large size for only 30 cents.

### ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS NANUS

One of the handsomest of our foliage plants. The leaves are a bright green, gracefully arched, and as finely woven as the finest silken mesh. Their lasting quality when cut is remarkable, retaining their freshness for weeks, hence it ranks as the most valuable plant we have for this purpose, surpassing the Maiden Hair Fern in grace, fineness of texture, and richness of color. See illustration. Price, 10c each; extra large plants, 20c each.

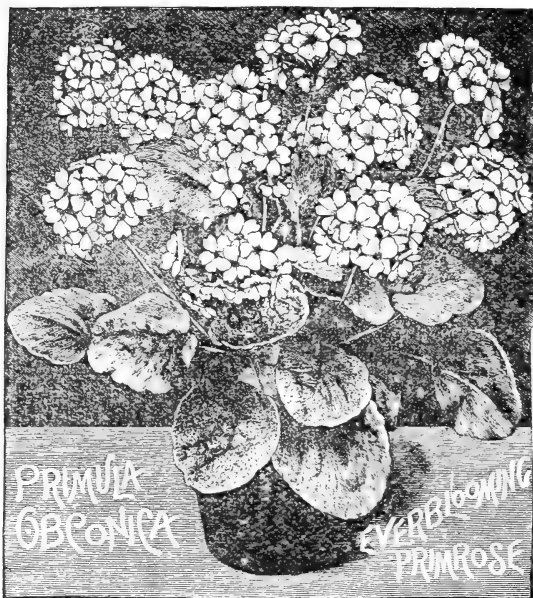


ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS NANUS.



ASPARAGUS SPRENGERII.

Our *Asparagus Sprengerii* and *Plumosus Nanus* are exceptionally fine, and will make handsome specimen plants in a very short time.

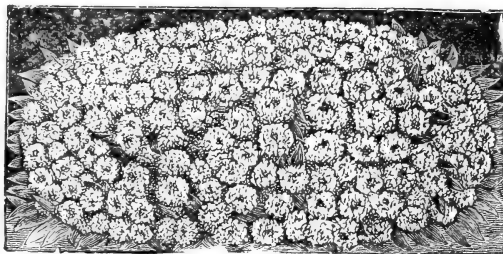


The Charming  
Ever-Blooming  
Primrose.....

## OBCONICA

### PRIMULA OBCONICA

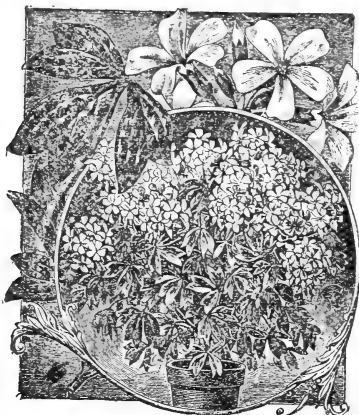
A lovely perpetual blooming Primrose and admirably adapted to growing in a cool climate. The flowers are not large, but are profusely borne in loose trusses, and are of a delicate rosy lilac, shading to white, and possess the true Primrose fragrance. It is in bloom fully nine months in the year, and some plants have kept up a succession of bloom during the entire season. Price, 10c each.



SWEET ALYSSUM.

### ALYSSUM (DOUBLE SWEET)

A very great advance on the single alyssum. It is indispensable as a cut flower, being a beautiful white and very fragrant. Continues in bloom until November, as light frosts do not injure it. Price, 8c each; 50c per dozen.



THE GOLDEN EVER-BLOOMING OXALIS.

New Golden-Flowered, Ever-Bloom-  
ing Oxalis

### OXALIS ORTGIESI

It is a shrubby plant, like a Geranium or Fuchsia, without buds, in which respect it differs from other Oxalis. It grows 12 to 18 inches in height, branching freely and loaded at all times with clusters of bright, golden, star-shaped flowers, which do not close at night, like other Oxalis. The leaves are three-lobed, dark olive-green above and a beautiful, shining, metallic crimson-purple underneath; wine-colored stems. Price, 15c each; three for 30c.

### IVY CANARIENSIS

English Ivy

An excellent variety for cultivation in the house, being a free grower, and very beautiful, broad, glossy green leaves. Price, 10c and 20c.



ENGLISH IVY.

### MAGNOLIA FUSCATA

Banana Shrub.

A most desirable greenhouse shrub, succeeding admirably as a window plant. It produces its brownish yellow flowers in the greatest profusion during late Winter or early Spring months. The sear of the most exquisite fragrance, similar to a ripe banana. Large strong plants, 40c each.

### CLERODENDRON BALFOURII

A plant of great beauty. Makes a grand bedding plant where both foliage and bloom are desired. The flowers, which are of a bright scarlet, are encased by a bag-like calyx of pure white, the trusses or panicles of flowers are upwards of six inches in length, and when trained upon trellises and hanging down have a rich and elegant appearance. 15c each.

### OLEA FRAGRANS

Sweet Olive.

An old favorite greenhouse shrub, succeeding admirably as a house plant, producing small white flowers which are of the most exquisite fragrance, continuing to bloom almost the entire Winter. Nice strong plants, 35c each.

### DICENTRA SPECTABILIS

Bleeding Heart.

A hardy perennial plant with rose-colored flowers in great abundance. One of the best border plants. Perfectly hardy and easily cultivated. Two feet high. Flowers in April and May. 20c each.

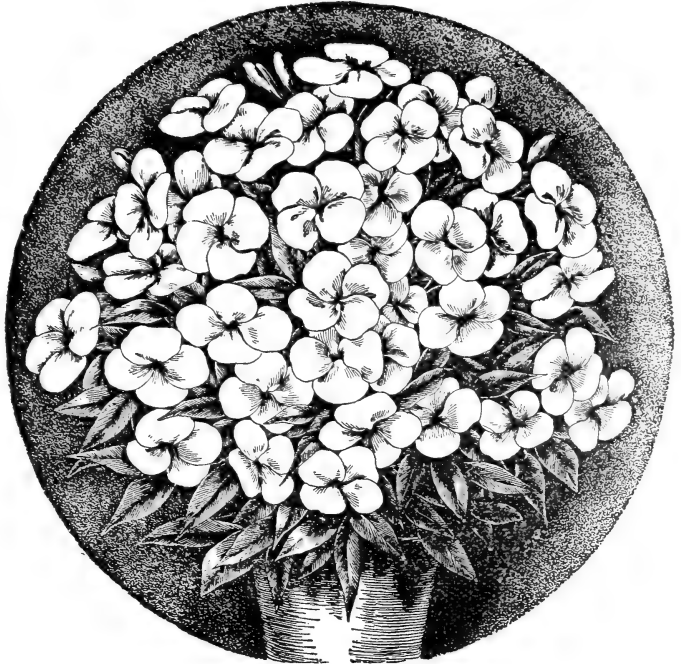


## Linum Trigynum.

A winter-blooming plant of great beauty, producing in the greatest profusion very large and very showy blooms of a bright yellow color. The plant is a complete mass of bloom for a long time during winter, and is one of the most beautiful winter bloomers it is possible to have. The flowers are about the size of a Morning Glory, and no matter how small the plant is it will bloom profusely, and each year as it grows into size it becomes more beautiful. Price, 10c each.

## Achania Malvaviscus.

A vigorous growing plant, resembling the Abutilons in habit and growth, valuable alike for bedding or pot culture, blooming profusely throughout the entire year; flowers a brilliant scarlet. Price, 10c each. See cut.



LINUM TRIGYNUM.

## Umbrella Plant.

(Cyperus Alternifolius.)

An ornamental grass, throwing up stems about two feet high, surmounted at the top with a whorl of leaves, diverging horizontally, giving it a very curious appearance. Splendid for the center of vases or as a water plant. Price, 10c each; large, handsome plants 20c each.

### THE BEAUTIFUL HOUSE PLANT

## Sanseveria Zealanica.

This beautiful house plant is well adapted for the decoration of sitting rooms, halls, etc., as it stands dust and neglect of watering

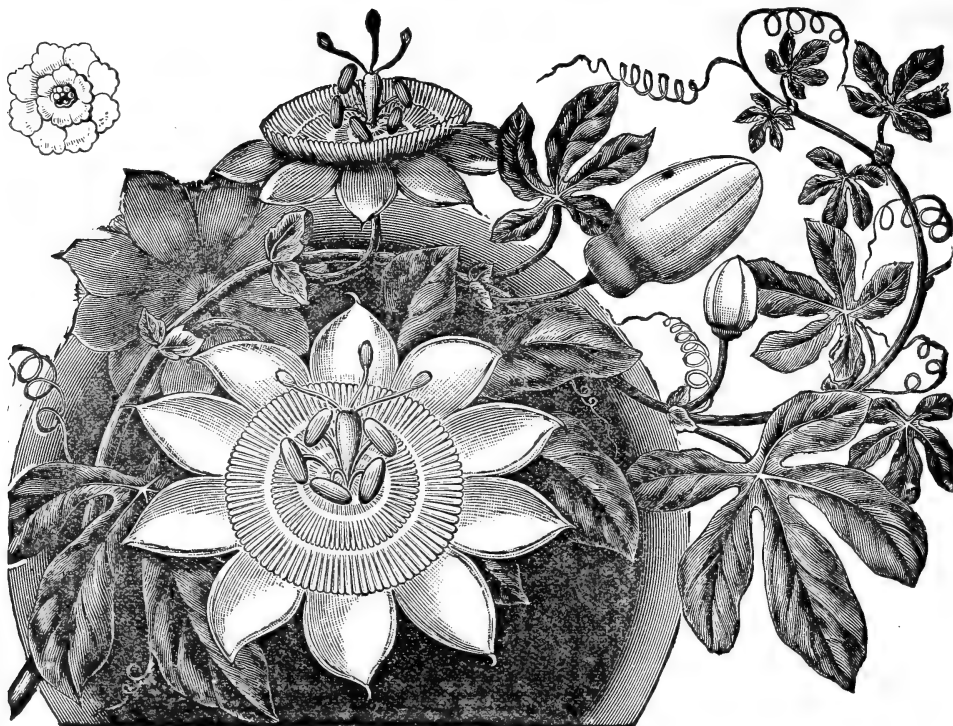
with impunity. The leaves, as shown in illustration, grow to a length of three to four feet, and are beautifully striped cross-wise, with broad, white variegations on a dark-green ground. It is a rare and beautiful plant, which should be abundantly grown for positions out of the reach of sunlight where other plants will not thrive. When you consider that it can be placed in any position in any room, and do well, its great usefulness is at once apparent. It has a singular beauty for decorative purposes, which other plants do not possess, and is useful both winter and summer. The beauty of its leaves and the handsome spike of flowers it produces make it one of the most desirable plants known. Price, nice, strong plants, 15c each; extra large size, 25c.



ACHANIA MALVAVISCUS.



SANSEVERIA ZEALANICA.



WHITE PASSION FLOWER, CONSTANCE ELLIOTT.

**CONSTANCE ELLIOTT—New Hardy Passiflora.**

This beautiful variety is hardy and free growing. As a hardy climbing plant it rivals some of the Clematis in size, color and bloom, and surpasses them in vigor of growth and delicious fragrance. The flowers are very large and are of pure ivory white. Excellent for cemetery purposes. Strong plants, 10c each; three for 25c.

**GERMAN OR PARLOR IVY.**

A rapid growing and succulent plant, well adapted for covering trellis work quickly or training in the parlor. Leaves glossy green and flowers yellow, in clusters. Price, 8c each; three for 20c.



GERMAN OR PARLOR IVY.



WHITE DUSTY MILLER.

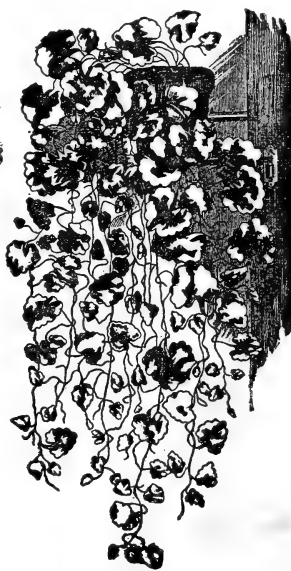
**CENTAUREA.**

(Dusty Miller.)

**Gymnocarpa**—Attains a diameter of two feet, forming a graceful rounded bush of silvery gray, for which nothing is so well to contrast in ribbon lines with a dark foliage plant. Price, 8c each; 5 for 25c.

**GLECHOMA HEDERACEA**

Variegated Ground Ivy. The foliage of this charming novelty is a bright green, marked with pure white, and has a refreshing fragrance similar to mint. Fine for hanging baskets and vases. Price, 10c each; three for 25c.



SILVER-LEAVED GROUND IVY.

# Beautiful Fragrant Jasmines.

**SPECIAL OFFER:** We will send the set of four Jasmines for only 30 cents.

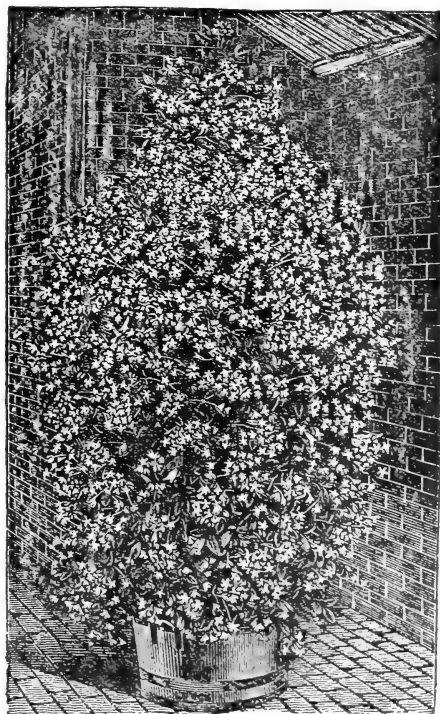


**New Jasmine, Maid of Orleans**—A very attractive new sort, with good sized double flowers, blooming profusely all Summer; shining, pale-green foliage. We predict for it a rapid sale, as it is so much easier to handle than other Cape Jasmines, and, on the whole, more desirable. Price, nice plants, 10c each; extra large plants, 25c.

**Jasmine Grandiflorum**—A beautiful plant, with small, glossy, evergreen foliage, handsomely arranged on long, graceful branches, which are inclined to vine. It blooms in the Fall and Winter, bearing in the greatest profusion small, pure white flowers of a spicy fragrance, which is truly delicious. A splendid house plant. Price, 10c each; large plants, 25c each.

**The Yellow Jasmine**—Almost every one has either read or heard of the famous Southern Yellow Jasmine. Tourists go into ecstasies over it and carefully press sprays of the exquisite blooms to carry to their Northern homes as mementoes of a Winter spent in "The Land of Flowers." There is not an easier grown or more beautiful climber in cultivation for the window, succeeding in almost any situation. It is quick growing, has beautiful, shining, evergreen foliage, and completely loads itself with its beautiful golden-yellow, exquisitely sweet-scented, funnel-shaped flowers. Price, 10c each; large size, 25c each.

**Jasminum Gracillium**—A new Jasmine and remarkable for its freedom of bloom. A flowering stem is produced from every joint, which terminates in a dense cluster of pure white, fragrant flowers. We have seen flowering branches of this Jasmine two feet in length. A charming plant. Price, 10c each; large plants, 25c each.



THE YELLOW JASMINE.



ACALPHA SANDERII.

## Handsome Acalpha Sanderii

This plant goes under various names, such as "Chenille Plant," "Philippine Medusa," "Comet Plant," "Dewey's Favorite Flower," "Bloody Cat Tail," etc. Without doubt the most sensational new plant introduced for many years, and one of the most striking flowering ornamental plants we have ever seen. It is of strong, free growth, with large, dark green leaves. From each axil rope-like spikes of velvety crimson flowers are gracefully suspended, of from one to two feet long and nearly one inch thick, as shown in our illustration, which conveys but a faint idea of the beauty and distinct warm coloring of this splendid acquisition. But the remarkable floriferousness and the great size of the spikes of flowers (compared to the plant) is fairly well shown. The plant is in flower the year round, and is as easily grown as the Coleus, simply requiring a warm temperature to develop its beauty. Fine plants, 10c each; three for 25c.

## THE CHARMING EVER-BLOOMING .. IMPATIENS SULTANI ..



This is the most distinct and beautiful of all flowering plants of recent introduction, either as a Winter-blooming pot plant or for the border in the Summer. It is of compact, neat habit of growth, with good constitution and a perpetual bloomer. Indeed, it is never without bloom. It will produce more flowers than any plant we have in our vast collection. The flowers are of a brilliant, rosy-scarlet color, of a peculiarly distinct, but most effective hue, and are produced singly or in twos and threes from the axils of the leaves, especially toward the summit of the stems, but so freely that a well-grown specimen appears to be quite a ball of fire. We recommend this highly. Price, 10c each; three for 25 cents.

### FEVERFEW—LITTLE GEM.



This sort is valued very highly, surpassing the old sort in every way. It is very dwarf, attaining a height of twelve inches. The flowers are large, of perfect form, and of the purest white. Splendid for cutting. Price, 8c each; three for 15 cents.



### SOLANUM

### JASMINOIDES

### GRANDIFLORUM

A beautiful plant of climbing habit, attaining a height of three to five feet, but can be grown in bush form. Its flowers are star-shaped and borne in clusters, large, pure white, with a violet tinge on back of petals and on the buds. In pots it is a continuous bloomer, both Summer and Winter. Price, 10c each; three for 25 cents.

### SAXAFRAGA

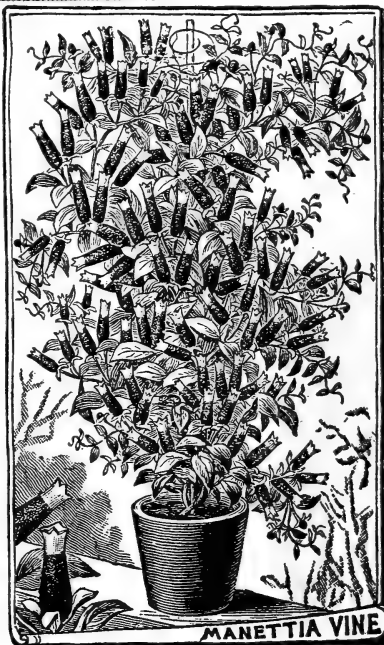
### SARMENTOSA

A handsome plant of low habit, leaves nearly round and striped freely with silver bands, blooms white, of great beauty and borne in spikes nearly 12 inches high. Fine for hanging baskets, vases, etc. Price, 8c each; three for 15 cents.

### MANETTIA . . . . . . . BICOLOR

THE MOST WONDERFUL NEW VINE OR PLANT THAT HAS YET BEEN PRODUCED. IT BLOOMS IN WINTER AS WELL AS IN SUMMER.

It is both a rapid and beautiful climber. The flowers are from an inch to an inch and a half in length, of a most intense bright scarlet, shaded into flame, tipped with the deepest golden-yellow and covered with a thick scarlet moss. The blossoms remain on the petals for weeks before falling. Has our highest commendation. Send to us and get the genuine. We can usually send them in bloom. Price, fine plants, 10c each.





## HARDY SCOTCH OR SWEET MAY

**PINKS**

The set of five beautiful Hardy Pinks for only 25 cents.

These are the Pinks of our mother's gardens. They are dwarfier than the Carnation, growing about one foot in height, the colors being of the various shades of maroon, carmine, and rose, beautifully laced and banded on white ground. The flowers are perfectly double, clove-scented, and the plants will stand out of doors year after year, being entirely hardy. They make a very nice border for beds of other flowers, or for cemetery planting, making a large tuft of bronzy-green foliage a foot or more in diameter, from which the flower stalks are thrown up in great profusion.

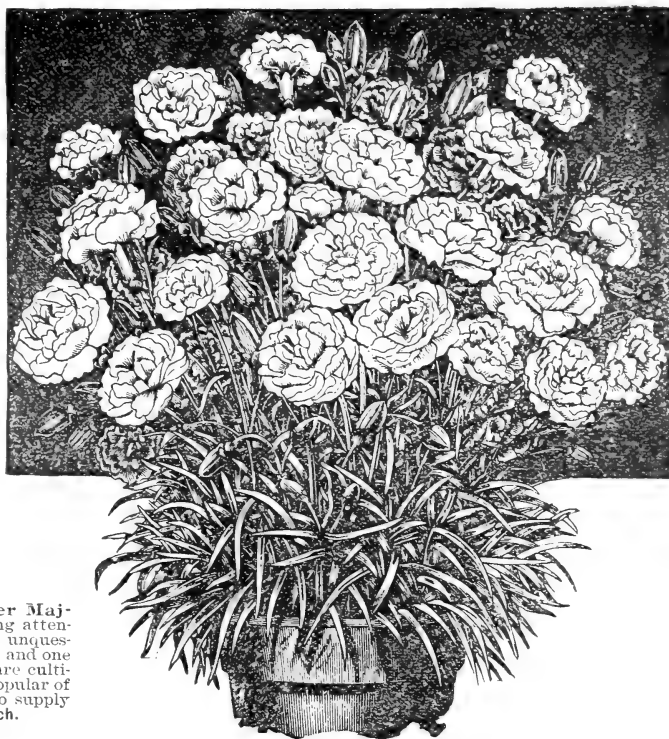
**Gertrude**—White, with maroon markings. Price, 8c each.

**Brunette**—Center very dark and velvety, almost black. Very fine. Price, 8c each.

**Mary Gray**—Reddish-purple, narrow lacing of white. Price, 8c each.

**Earl of Carlisle**—Various shades, maroon and rose, with white. Price, 8c each.

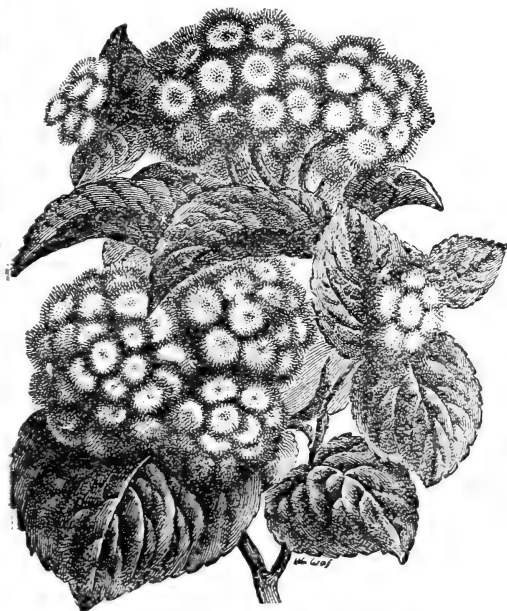
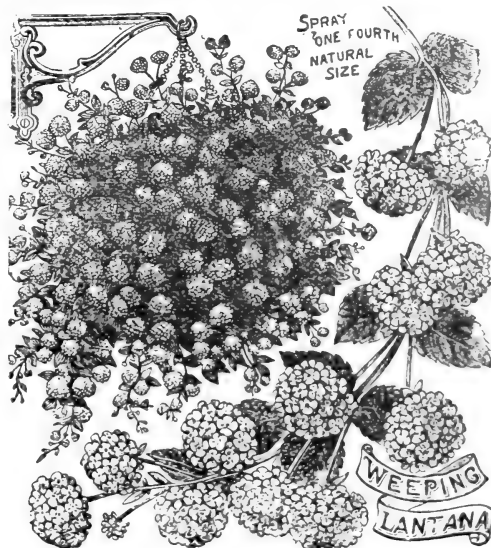
**The New Double White Pink, Her Majesty**—We have much pleasure in drawing attention to this charming novelty, which is unquestionably one of the finest of the century, and one that will hold its own as long as Pinks are cultivated. It has become one of the most "popular of the day," and is being grown by acres to supply the demand for cut flowers. Price, 10c each.



WHITE PINK, HER MAJESTY.

## New Variegated Ageratum PRINCESS PAULINE

A novel and distinct variety of dwarf, compact habit, rarely exceeding six inches in height, its peculiarity being that both colors, blue and white, are combined in the same flower, the body of the flower being white, while the stamens are a light sky blue, giving the whole flower a pleasing variegated appearance, and making it one of the most distinct new bedding plants. Price, 8c each.



NEW AGERATUM, PRINCESS PAULINE.

## Weeping Lantana

This plant has a most graceful, drooping habit, grows very rapidly and blooms continually Summer and Winter, producing large clusters of flowers of the most delicate lilac or rosy pink; foliage a beautiful dark green. Price, 8c. each.



# SWEET VIOLETS

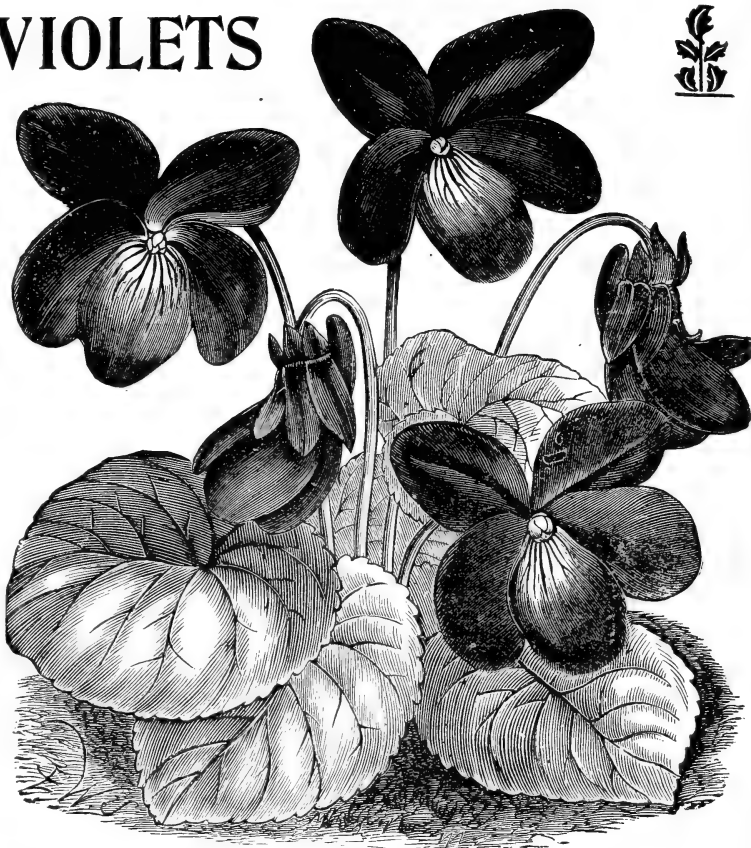


## VIOLET BABY BLUE.

New. This is by far the best blue Violet grown, deliciously fragrant and very prolific. The color is a delicate blue, hence its name "Baby Blue." The growth of the plant is vigorous and healthy. Valuable either in pots or planted out. A charming contrast with the white variety, Swanley White. Price, 10c each.

## New Giant-Flowered Violet, CALIFORNIA.

The plant is a robust grower with dense, heavy foliage, entirely free from the disease that is so destructive to the older sorts. Flowers single, intensely fragrant. Color, a clear, violet purple that does not fade. The flowers are very large and borne on stems ten to twelve inches long, giving them unusual value for cut-flowers. Try one. Price, 10c each.



VIOLET, CALIFORNIA.



VIOLET, SWANLEY WHITE.

## New Double White Perpetual Flowering Violet,

## SWANLEY WHITE

or Queen of Fragrance.

Of all the white violets, this is the best, either for pot culture in the house or bedded out. In pots it grows luxuriantly, and is loaded with flowers. It is not an uncommon sight to see as many as fifty large flowers open at once, presenting a beautiful sight, their delicious perfume filling the whole room. Price-10c each.

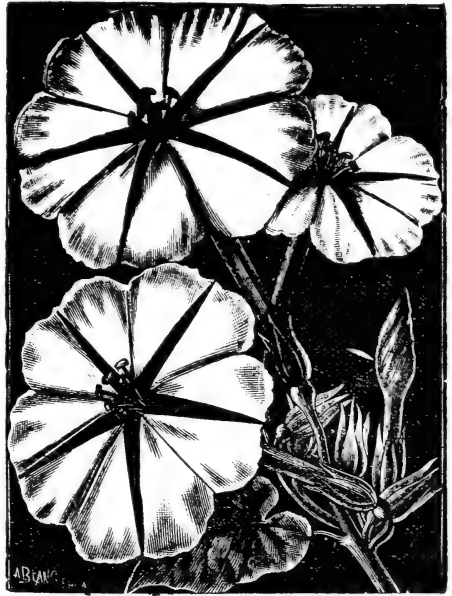
We will send one each of these New Violets for 25 cents.

# THE TRUE BLUE AND WHITE MOON FLOWERS

These handsome Climbers reach the height of 25 feet in a very short time, are profuse bloomers and delightfully fragrant. ❀ ❀ ❀

**The Blue Moon Flower, Ipomoea Learii**—From Ceylon. A handsome, quick-growing, perennial climber. It often flowers in bunches of a half dozen. The flowers are trumpet-shaped, about four inches across, of a rich violet blue, with five purple rays, grows about 25 feet in one season, and is a most attractive climber. Price, 10c each; 3 for 25c.

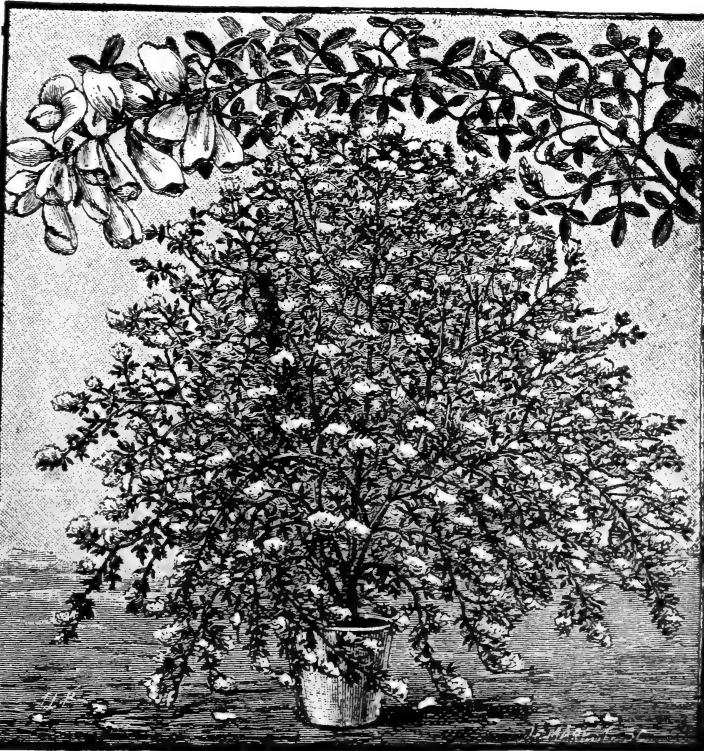
**True Moon Flower, Ipomoea Grandiflora**—This plant has become very popular, and it certainly is a wonderful annual climber. It grows rapidly and blooms profusely. Flowers five inches in diameter and quite fragrant. A very rapid Summer climber, blooming the first season. No insects attack the leaf, and even if it did not bloom it would be very desirable because of the beauty of its foliage. But when is added to this the wonderful effect of its flowers, which are borne in great profusion, it cannot fail to please. The flowers are immense, pure white, sweet-scented, five inches in diameter, borne very profusely, and, as they open at night, are very striking. Being a free bloomer, the effect on a moonlight night is charming. It is a splendid plant for verandas. Price 10c each; 3 for 25c.



THE WHITE MOON FLOWER.

**WE WILL SEND five of each of these two handsome Climbers, or ten of one kind, for**

**Only 60 cents**



FOUNTAIN OF GOLD.

## GENISTA CANARIENSIS.

**Fountain of Gold**—The drooping branches are covered with delicate sage-green foliage, and every twig tipped with a long raceme of exquisite pea-shaped blossoms of a pure canary color, almost hiding the foliage, and suggesting the name, "Fountain of Gold." Nice strong plants. Price, 10c each; three for 25c.

## THE LOVELY BLUE ERANTHEMUM

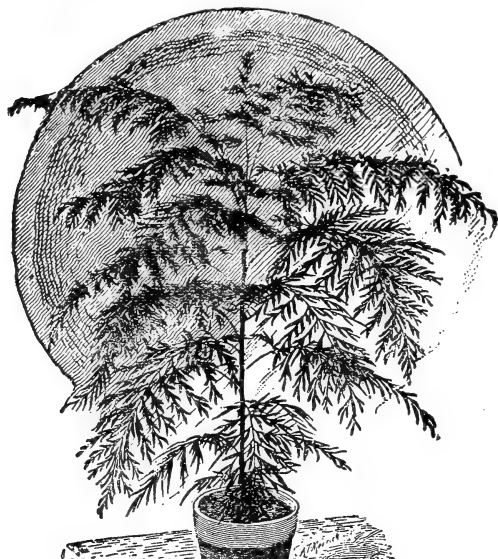
A splendid Winter-blooming plant. Flowers of a rich, deep blue color. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

## CROTONS

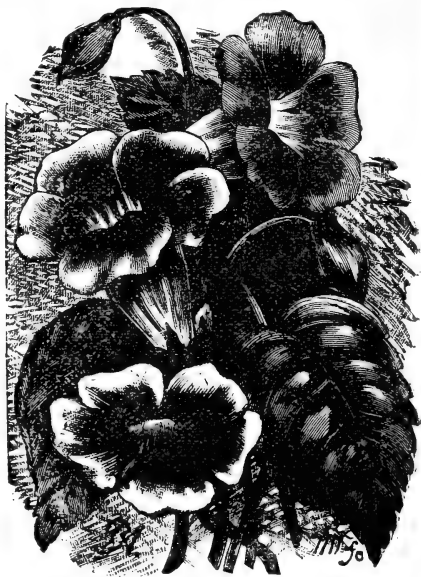
The Crotons are among the finest decorative foliage plants known. Leaves are more or less veined and margined, sometimes entirely variegated with shades of yellow, orange and crimson. Some have long, narrow leaves, arching gracefully, fountain fashion, others broad and short-oak leaved. Some recurved very much, others twisted, corkscrew like. Crotons love heat, sunshine and moisture. Price, nice plants 15c each; three distinct sorts for 30 cents.

**ROYAL PURPLE**

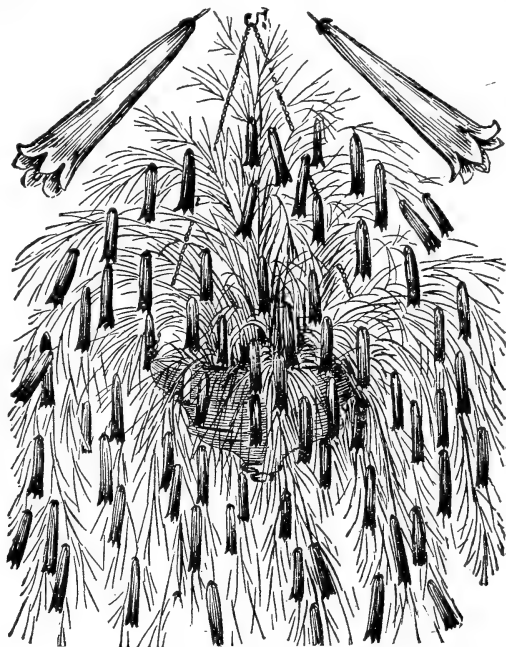
**Strobilanthes Dyerianus**—A new and very beautiful foliage plant from Singapore, which will become universally popular on account of the brilliant and exquisite coloring of its leaves, the beauty of its flowers and in its extraordinarily easy growth and usefulness as a decorative plant. It surpasses the finest Coleus in exquisite coloring of the leaves, besides which the long racemes of lovely violet blossoms with which the plant is covered in mid-winter greatly enhance its value and beauty. Price, 10c each; three for 25c.

**GREVILLEA ROBUSTA**

**The Silk Oak**—A magnificent plant for decorative purposes, of rapid, easy growth, finely cut foliage, rivaling a rare Fern. The young growing leaves are a light bronze color, the tips being covered with a soft down, closely resembling raw silk, hence the name of "Silk Oak." In its native place it attains magnificent proportions and produces an abundance of bright, orange-colored flowers. Price, fine plants, 8c each; extra large plants, 15c each.

**GLOXINIA**

The coloring is exquisite; the ground of many is pure white, with throats of blue, scarlet, rose, crimson, or velvety-purple; or the tubes are of bright color, with white throat. The bulbs should be started in a warm place, and kept growing in a partial shaded place, protected from hard rains. They will bloom until late in Summer, when they should be dried off, letting the leaves die, and can be kept over Winter in a cellar free from frost. Dry bulbs, price, 15c each; three for 30c.

**RUSSELLIA JUNCEA**

A charming basket or vase plant, suitable either for garden or pot culture and requiring the same treatment as a Geranium. The flowers are about the size of a Mannettia, long, trumpet-shaped and brilliant scarlet in color. It is one of the easiest of all plants to grow, and is particularly valuable for baskets. Price, 8c each; three for 25c.

# LANTANAS

YELLOW, WHITE, PINK AND VARIEGATED  
They are Very Fine for Bedding.

**New Lantana, Dixie**—A lovely new variety with large red and yellow flowers and beautiful yellow foliage. A very strong grower and a mass of bloom all Summer. Price, 10c each. (See cut.)

**Comtesse de Biencourt**—Flowers bright rose and yellow, center sulphur; dwarf and bushy. 10c each.

**Michael Schmidt**—Flowers fresh and sparkling, of brilliant yellow, passing into purple vermilion. 10c each.

**Javoli**—The finest pure white yet introduced; florets large, forming large spikes of bloom. 10c each.

**La Pleur d'Or**—Pure yellow flowers, very dwarf and bushy, very abundant bloomer. 10c each.

## ABUTILONS

Or Flowering Maple

Price, 8 Cents Each.

Rapid growing plants of easy culture. Flowers pendulous, bell-shaped and produced in great abundance. If taken up carefully before frost they make good winter Flowering plants.

**Arthur Belsham**—Color clear, even crimson, without markings. An excellent variety of shrubby habit and great freedom of bloom.

**Robert George**—Free and continuous bloomer. The flowers are broad, their large, overlapping petals incurved; color orange, veined with crimson.



GOLDEN BELLS.



NEW GOLDEN LEAF LANTANA, DIXIE.

**Golden Bells**—A bright golden-yellow Abutilon, of strong, vigorous habit and very free flowering. There have been a number of yellow Abutilons introduced during the past few years, but they all lacked richness of color. The variety now offered combines large size, fine form and depth of coloring. Price, 10c each. (See cut.)

**Souv. de Bonn**—This is entirely different from anything we have had before in the way of variegated Abutilons. It is a strong, upright grower, with large, bright green foliage distinctly edged with a broad band of creamy white and yellow. Flowers very large, on stems 8 to 9 inches in length. Colors, bright orange-red; very effective with its beautifully variegated foliage.

**Thompsonii Plena**—Beautiful variegated foliage, green and gold; has perfectly double flowers, resembling a double Hollyhock pendant; color, rich orange, shaded with crimson.

**Eclipse**—A very pretty trailing variety, with large foliage beautifully marked with deep green and yellow. Flowers bright yellow with crimson throat; fine for vases or large hanging baskets.

**Prince of Heilbron**—Beautiful variegated foliage of bright green and gold; flowers light yellow, veined crimson.

**Royal Scarlet**—Brilliant scarlet, dwarf.

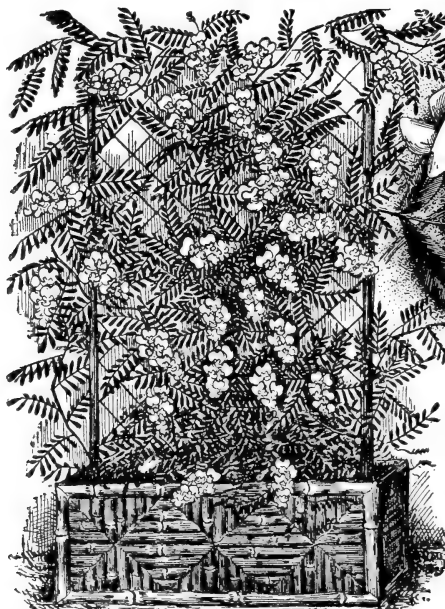
### SPECIAL OFFER

We will send the entire set of eight Abutilons for 50 cents.

### SPECIAL OFFER

We will send these five best Lantanas for only 30 cents.





### SWAINSONIA ALBA

Something New and Valuable. It Blooms Both Summer and Winter.

A beautiful, continuous flowering new plant, with pure white, sweet pea-like flowers, produced in sprays of from twelve to twenty blossoms each. Nothing surpasses it as a decorative plant for the window or conservatory. The pinnated, feathery, fern-like foliage is a cheerful light green, and has always a neat and clean appearance. It is of easy culture, growing in almost any light position. Its great freedom of bloom, being seldom without flowers, the grace, purity and beauty of its flowers, and the neat habit and fine appearance of the whole plant will undoubtedly make it one of the most popular plants in cultivation. Especially valuable for cutting. Owing to its ease of culture and beauty, of both plant and flower, it is one of the most valuable and desirable home plants that has yet appeared. Price, 10c each.

### NEW SWAINSONIA, SPLENDENS

Same as the above, with bright scarlet flowers. This is the only true scarlet variety. Price, 10c each.

These two Swainsonias are of the easiest culture and are very beautiful. They are always in bloom. We will send a strong plant of each for 15 cents.

### THE BEAUTIFUL MEXICAN PRIMROSE.

A charming basket or pot plant. Flowers of a beautiful, bright, clear pink color, veiled with scarlet and with a bright center. The superb color, combined with airy grace and beautiful form, goes to make a flower which is in beauty perfection itself. The plant seldom grows over ten inches in height, but inclines to a trailing habit, spreading its branches out over the ground or drooping over the sides of the pot. Price, nice plants, 6c each; three for 15c.

### Hellanthus Multiflorus

### The Double Golden SUNFLOWER

A double perennial "Sun-flower." It is a great addition to our hardy plants. Its dark, golden-yellow color is both fashionable and beautiful for cut flowers, and planted singly or in clumps on the lawn it gives a splendid effect. The plant grows about three or four feet high, bearing numerous large golden heads of flowers as large as Dahlias, and continuing in bloom until frost, and will be much prized as corsage flowers. Price, 10c each; three for 25c.



EVER BLOOMING MEXICAN PRIMROSE.



# CALLA LILIES

**BLACK, WHITE.....**
**.....AND SPOTTED**

**SPECIAL OFFER**—We will send one each of the four Calla Lilies in largest size for only \$1.00. The four in smaller size for 50 cents.

## THE MAMMOTH BLACK CALLA, THE GREAT DRAGON ARUM.



CALLA LILLY

This plant has the honor of producing the largest flower of any plant that is hardy in this country. They are simply enormous.

The leaf stems and flower stalk are all spotted; upon the top of the latter opens a flower of gigantic size and curious color. On the outside it is of a light green color, while the inside is of a deep red purple, glistening beautifully in the sun with a satin sheen. The spadix in the center of the flower is of a glossy, purple-black color. Price, good bulbs, 25c each.

## CALLA ETHIOPICA

*Egyptian Lily*

This is the well-known Egyptian Lily, or Lily of the Nile, with large white flowers, broad foliage, and it will prosper under very adverse circumstances. If you want large Callas send to us, as we are head-quarters for them. We have three sizes: Small plants to bloom next winter, 10c each; strong blooming bulbs, 25c each; extra strong bulbs that will produce a half dozen of blooms, 50c each.

## New Dwarf Ever-Blooming Calla Lily, TOM THUMB, or the Gem, The Most Wonderful of all Plants.

"The Little Gem." The greatest value of this over the common Calla Lily lies in its dwarf habit and freedom of bloom. It rarely exceeds 12 inches in height and blooms most abundantly. The flowers are not more than half the size of the common variety, and therefore can be used with telling effect in bouquets. It is in every way superior as a house plant to the larger growing varieties. Price, nice blooming plants, 15c each; extra large size, 25c each.

## CALLA RICHARDIA

*Spotted Calla.*

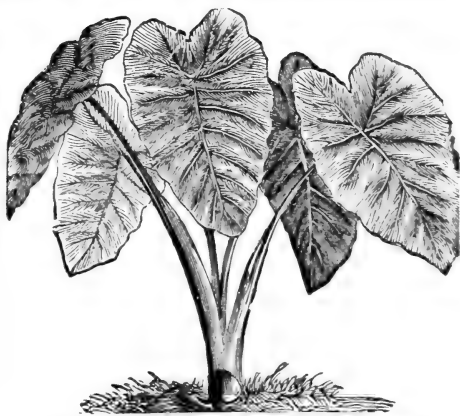
The Richardia Alba, or Spotted Calla is a plant of magnificent appearance. The leaves are of the richest green, spotted with pure white. The flowers are white, with a rich chocolate throat. It can either be grown in a pot, planted in a border, or in a vase or rustic stand, the latter being a very effective way of showing its beauty. Price, 15c each; very large bulbs, 25c each.

Callas delight in a light, rich soil and require plenty of water after growth has commenced. Give them plenty of light and air.

## THE BEAUTIFUL FANCY LEAVED CALADIUM

Beautiful, ornamental foliage plants, especially valuable for window boxes, vases or specimen plants. Most of the varieties succeed nicely if planted in partially shaded border in light, rich soil. Price, large bulbs, 25c each.

**FIVE.....  
DISTINCT  
VARIETIES  
FOR \$1.00**



## CALADIUM ESCULENTUM

Commonly known as Elephant's Ear.

Very effective and suitable for either a single plant on the lawn, masses in beds or margins of water. Its very distinct leaves often attain the length of three feet by twenty inches wide, and have a rich, tropical effect. Price, for nice bulbs of Caladium, 10c each; large bulbs, 25c each.

# LILIES FOR SUMMER BLOOMING

**Lilium Auratum, Golden Rayed Queen of Lilies**—The grandest Lily grown. The perfume is exquisite, light, yet penetrating. Magnificent by daylight, but by moonlight a well grown plant, carrying five or more blooms, is simply indescribably beautiful. Also known as "Gold Banded Lily from Japan." Price, 30c each; four for \$1.00. (See cut.)

**Lilium Rubrum**—White ground, with bands and spots of rose or crimson on each petal. One of the best Lilies. Price, 20c each.

**Double Tiger Lily, Tigrinum fl. pl.**—This magnificent Lily is borne in immense clusters on tall stems; the flowers are very large, frequently six inches across and very double; color, deep fiery red, spotted with black. Price, 15c each.

## ✿ LILIAM SPECIOSUM MONSTROSUM ALBUM. ✿

A variety of the above, with broad, flat stems and immense heads of flowers. Pure white and very fragrant; petals gracefully recurved; a very fine sort. Price, 20c each.

## ✿ ✿ ✿ LILIAM CANDIDUM. ✿ ✿ ✿

**The Madonna or Annunciation Lily**—This Lily is the emblem of purity. The deep lemon anthers contrast beautifully with the wax like petals. The fragrance is delicious and never oppressive. It is one of the best of Lilies to grow in the house or outside. Perfectly hardy. Price, 15c each.



LILY AURATUM.

## GLADIOLI.

# ✿ STATELY GLADIOLI ✿ AND FRAGRANT TUBEROSE TUBEROSES.



TUBEROSE BLOOMS.

**Excelsior Pearl**—Its pure waxy color and delightful fragrance make it the most popular of all flowers for bouquets and baskets. Our bulbs are very fine, and we guarantee that all will bloom if properly treated. Price, 8c each; ten for 50 cents.

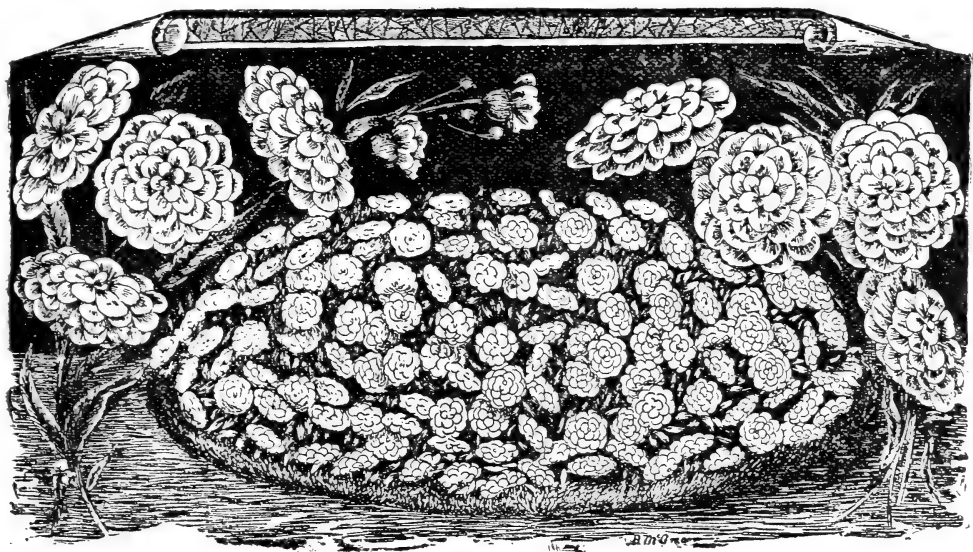


GLADIOLI BLOOMS.

Our Gladioli can be relied upon to bloom freely, and embrace all shades of buff, salmon, pink, crimson, yellow, white, lemon, rose, maroon, scarlet, cherry and variegated varieties. Large bulbs, 5c each; 12 for 50c.

# BEAUTIFUL HARDY PLANTS AND VINES

SUITABLE FOR CEMETERY, LAWN AND GARDEN.



NEW ACHILLEA, "THE PEARL."

## The Great Cemetery Plant, the Pure White Hardy Achillea, "THE PEARL."

We take much pleasure in calling especial attention to this new plant, as it is one of the most beautiful and useful. It is a hardy perennial, the top dying down to the ground every Winter. A plant will produce hundreds and even thousands of flowers the first Summer, but when established the second year frequently have more than five hundred perfect flowers on the plant at the same time. It commences to bloom early in July, is a perfect mass of beautiful flowers till frost, the

same bloom keeping perfect two or three months. Its flowers are pure and white, perfectly double, and produced in large sprays, making it one of the finest cut flowers for bouquets, vases, baskets, etc., or for any kind of decoration. For cemetery planting it is the most valuable of all flowers, as it is sure to thrive and bear its great profusion of snow-white flowers nearly the whole Summer. Price, 8c each; four for 25c twelve for 60c.

## LILY OF THE VALLEY.

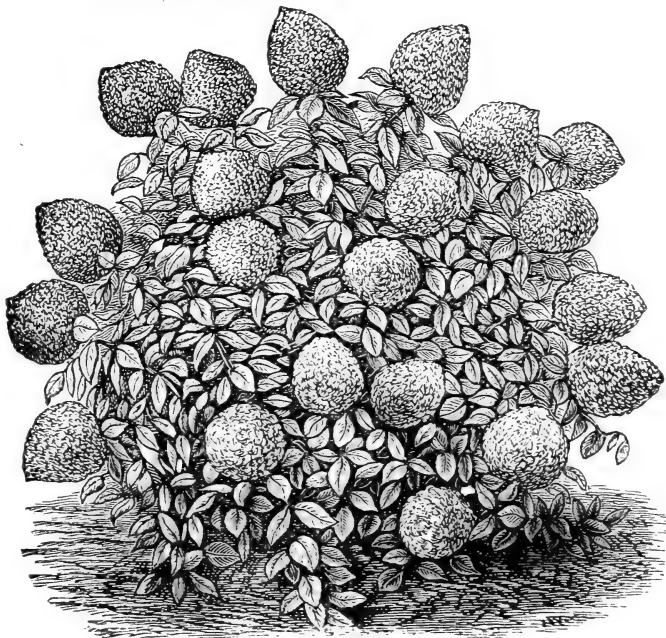
One of the most charming Spring flowering plants, producing in profusion its delicate bell-shaped, delightfully fragrant white flowers. It will thrive in any common soil, and will do well in shady situations where few other plants will succeed. Price, three for 10c; twenty for 50c.

New Japanese Hardy Hydrangea,

## PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA

A new, very striking and elegant hardy flowering shrub, suitable for lawns, recently introduced from Japan. The flowers are pure white, afterward changing to pink, and are borne in immense pyramidal trusses more than a foot long and nearly as much in diameter. It blooms in mid-summer and remains in bloom two or three months. The plant is of a bushy and compact growth, attains a height of three to four feet, and is perfectly hardy in all parts of the country; needs no protection of any kind. See cut.

Price, young plants, 15c each; extra strong two-year-old plants for immediate effect, 35c each.



THE HARDY HYDRANGEA

## HARDY PLANTS AND VINES—Continued.

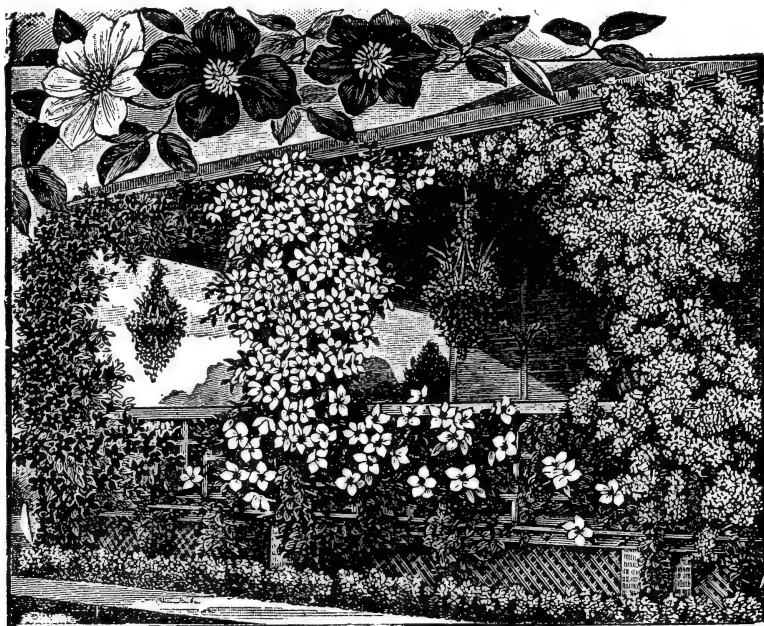
## RED, WHITE AND BLUE CLEMATIS.



The Climbers on this Page are all Hardy in any Latitude, and are indeed Superb.....



THE CLEMATIS is, perhaps, the most popular climbing plant of the day, and is constantly gaining in popularity. Entirely hardy, blooming the entire season, embracing great variety of color, of the most beautiful tints of blue, purple, lavender, scarlet, white, etc.; double and single, some of the flowers being six inches in diameter; and from their wavy graceful contour, when wafted by a slight breeze, the flowers resemble huge butterflies hovering among the green leaves. They are all climbers, and if trained carefully attain a height of from five to fifteen feet in one season. Hardy, but a light covering of leaves or straw during the Winter is desirable until fully established. Our Clematis are all on their own roots, therefore cannot throw up wild shoots, as grafted plants are apt to do.



CLEMATIS JACKMANNI.

CLEMATIS HENRYII.

VITICELLA RUBRA GRANDIFLORA.

Our Clematis this Spring are very Large and Strong and are sure to Flower this Summer.

## Clematis Jackmanni.

Its rapidity of growth, matchless freedom in blooming, and the superb velvety-purple of its large flowers have always been held in that relation toward other Clematis which Jacqueminot holds to other hardy Roses. The blooms are royal, coming in great numbers continuously from July until Winter. Perhaps three times as many Jackmanni are grown as all the other varieties combined. We would urge the planting of the larger size, as better and quicker results will thus be obtained. Price, 75c each; extra large fine plants, \$1.

## Henryii.

Large, pure white, single flowers. Price, 75c each; extra large plants, \$1 each.

## Viticella Rubra Grandiflora.

A vigorous, free-growing variety; flowers profusely. Color, violet-red. Price, 75cts

## Clematis Paniculata.

The flowers are of the medium size, pure white, borne in immense sheets, and of a most delicious and penetrating fragrance. These flowers appear in September, at a season when very few other vines are in bloom. Price, 25c each.

The four varieties; Red, White and Blue for \$1.75, no further discount.

## HYACINTHUS CANDICANS



HYACINTHUS CANDICANS.

A very stately bulbous plant, with large Yucca-like leaves, growing as high as four feet. The flowers are pure white, the number of flowers vary from twenty to sixty on each. With us the plant is perfectly hardy and grows stronger each year. It is very suitable for cemetery decoration, for centers of beds, or for grouping wherever it can have room to display its very distinct and expressive character. Price, 10c each; three for 25c.

## CHINESE BLUE WISTARIA.

One of the most beautiful of all Wistarias; a vigorous, strong-growing vine producing in early Summer a great profusion of large clusters of lovely, rich, violet-blue flowers, deliciously sweet; handsome. Price, 10c each.

## CINNAMON VINE.

A fine hardy climber. The vine is a beautiful rapid grower, producing sweet scented flowers. Price 8c each; four for 25c.







HARDY PLANTS AND VINES—Continued.



## CRIMSON EYE.

### A WONDERFUL NEW PLANT.

Pure white, perfectly hardy Hibiscus,  
with a large distinct crimson eye.



HIBISCUS CRIMSON EYE.

This magnificent Hibiscus is unequalled among hardy plants for gorgeous beauty. It is a robust grower, with dark red stems and foliage. The flowers are immense in size, often measuring 20 inches in circumference. The color is of the purest white, with a large spot of deep velvety-crimson in the center of each flower. It is a striking combination of color, and one that must be seen to be fully appreciated. A well developed plant will produce several hundred of these flowers in a season. It will succeed anywhere and is perfectly hardy, blooming the first year from seed sown in the open ground. We offer both seeds and roots. Price of good strong roots to bloom this year, 15c each; three for 35c.

### A BEAUTIFUL BLOOMING HARDY VINE. LOVELY FLOWERS AND A RAMPANT GROWER.



THE HARDY APIOS TUBEROSA.

### APIOS TUBEROSA

A hardy tuberous-rooted climber, closely resembling the common Wistaria in vine and foliage and having clusters of deep, purple flowers, which have a strong violet fragrance. Plant the bulbs near a trellis, fence, tree or any place where you may wish a climber. They grow to a great height and bloom profusely. The bulbs are perfectly hardy, and should not be taken up over winter. Price, 10c each; three for 25c. See cut.

NOTE.—Last Spring our stock of Apios Tuberosa was sold out early in the season. Owing to its scarcity we could not get

it. This caused some disappointment to our patrons.

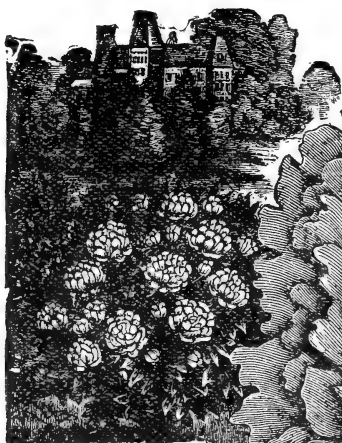
We have this season however a very large supply and shall be able to fill all orders for this beautiful climber.

### THE BEAUTIFUL HARDY YUCCA FILAMENTOSA (ADAM'S NEEDLE.)

A tropical looking plant, with long narrow leaves that remain green the entire year. It throws up a strong flower stem in the Summer, three or four feet high, bearing a large spike of creamy-white, bell-shaped flowers that retain their beauty a long time. Hardy. Price, 25c each.



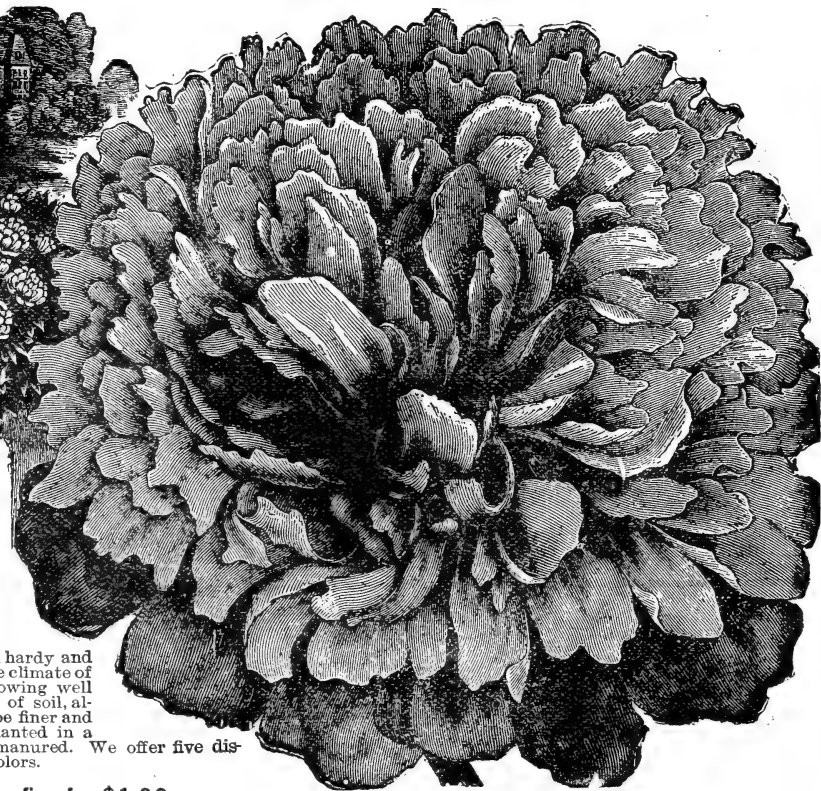
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## PAEONIES

The "Piners" of our mothers' gardens. Hardy, herbaceous. Herbaceous Pæonies are the showiest and most useful of hardy plants and are fast becoming popular with the public. They are all hardy and admirably adapted to the climate of the Northern States, growing well in almost any situation of soil, although the flowers will be finer and the color brighter if planted in a deep, rich loam, well manured. We offer five distinct new sorts, in five colors.

25c each, the five for \$1.00.



TYPE OF BEST PAEONIES.

## THE HARDY CHINESE MATRIMONY VINE

It is a most vigorous, hardy climbing plant when trained to an arbor, fastened to a fence, attached to a tree, the side of a house, the pillars of a piazza, or in any location where a hardy, vigorous climber is desired. It sends out numerous side branches, so that it covers a great amount of space in a short time, and every new growth is at once covered with bright purple flowers, which are succeeded by brilliant scarlet berries nearly an inch long, every branch being loaded with them. The contrast between the glossy, dark green foliage and shining scarlet fruit is exceedingly beautiful, surpassing Holly in appearance. It continues flowering and new berries are forming from late Spring until frost. The berries ripen in early Autumn and remain on the vine late into the Winter. The number of our hardy vines which can be grown without danger from frost in our Northern States is limited, and none are more beautiful than this or as easy of culture. It will grow and thrive in any situation, either shade or bright sunlight, and will take root in any soil. Price, young plants, which will bloom and fruit abundantly this year, 10c each; three for 25c

The Splendid Hardy  
Climbing Vine

AMPELOPSIS VEITCHI

The popular Boston or Japan Ivy which clings firmly to any wall, tree, etc. The leaves, which are of an olive-green brown color, change to bright scarlet in the Autumn. This variety becomes more popular every season, and is without question one of the very best climbing plants for covering brick, stone or wooden walls that can be grown. Nice plants, 15c each.



MATRIMONY VINE.

# DAHLIAS

## EIGHT OF THE BEST VARIETIES ❁ ❁ ❁ ❁

Within the last few years there have been many new varieties introduced of American and European origin, and the ones we have are the cream of hundreds of these varieties.

Price of these Beautiful Dahlias, . . . 15 cents each  
The Full Set of EIGHT CHOICE SORTS **\$1.00**  
For . . . . .



DAHLIA.

### THE GRACEFUL DECORATIVE

## DRACÆNA INDIVISA.

One of the most popular plants for house decoration or for the center of lawn vases. As a single specimen plant for a jardiner in a hall or drawing-room it has no equal. It is more graceful than a Palm, and because of its slender drooping leaves is often called a "Fountain Plant." The leaves are of several shades of green, with delicate stripings of yellow and red, which become marked as the Palm grows older. It grows rapidly, is adapted to the close atmosphere of the house, and is very inexpensive. Price, nice plants, 10 cents each; large plants, 20 cents.

## DRACÆNA TERMINALIS.

Superb species; rich, crimson foliage, marked with pink carmine and creamy white. Words cannot describe the exquisite coloring. This is one of the most admired of the decorative species, its elegant habit and extremely beautiful, lively coloring, giving it marked value. It is a rapid grower and for room adornment or as a vase plant for out-of-door use it is indispensable. Price, 35 cents each; extra large plants, by express, 60 cents each.

### CROWN OF THORNS—EUPHORBIA SPLENDENS.

A curious plant, with thick, fleshy, twining stems, which are covered with stout, sharp spines nearly an inch long. There is a tradition that this plant furnished the material for the "Crown of Thorns" used in the divine tragedy. The foliage is bright green and the flowers are beautiful coral-pink, very pretty when in bloom. Price, 15c each.



FLOWER OF CIGAR PLANT.

## CUPHEA PLATYCENTRA CIGAR PLANT.

Scarlet, pendulous flowers; neat, compact habit; constant bloomer. Price, 8 cents each; three for 15 cents.

### THE PRETTIEST AND MOST USEFUL OF ALL DECORATIVE VINES . . . . .

## VINCA, MAJOR VARIEGATA

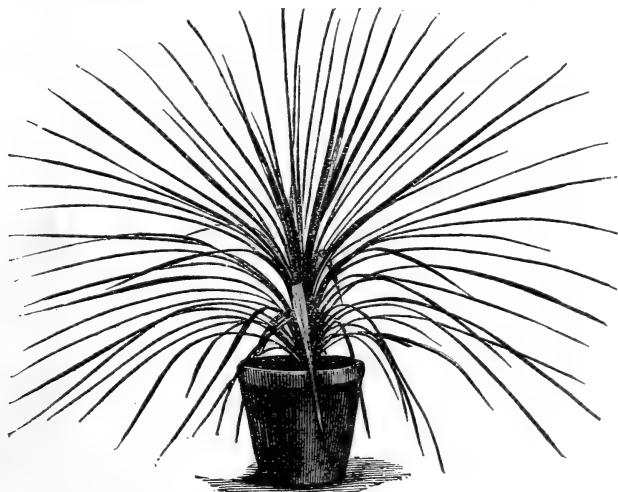
This is a beautiful variegated trailing vine admirably adapted for hanging baskets and vases. The leaves are a glossy green, broadly margined a creamy white; flowers blue. More Vincas are employed in vase and basket work than all other vines combined. 6 cents each; very large vines, out of four-inch pots, 20 cents each.

## NEW CUPHEA TRICOLOR

This elegant plant is of low-growing habit, forming a very unique plant that is well covered with brilliant, tube-shaped flowers. The rare and beautiful combinations of colors displayed in the flower are red, white and blue, which is at once suggestive of its resemblance to the National Flag. It is well adapted for general uses, such as bedding out, pot culture or hanging baskets. Makes a pretty and showy border. Price, 10 cents each; three for 20 cents.

## TRANDESCANTIA MULTICOLOR, or WANDERING JEW.

Nearly every one is acquainted with the old Zebriana. The one now offered is the most beautifully variegated purple, scarlet and white. Price, 6c each; three for 15c.



DRACÆNA IN SIX-INCH POT.

## HARDY

# ORNAMENTAL FLOWERING SHRUBS

### ALTHEA, or ROSE OF SHARON

Flowers of large size, bell-shaped, double, full and of brilliant and striking colors, borne in great profusion in August and September, when other flowers are scarce. Of regular and compact growth, with deep, glossy-green leaves. Make beautiful ornamental hedges. Sure to attract attention wherever seen. Two colors, double rose and double white. Price, 15c each.

### CALYCANTHUS

The well-known sweet-scented shrub. It bears in May a profusion of double, purple blossoms, which have a strong, delicious pineapple fragrance. Price, 15c each; extra large, 30c.

### DEUTZIA

**Gracilis**—A charming shrub. Flowers pure white, bell-shaped, delicately fringed, and borne in such profusion as to cover the branches. Price, 15c each.

**Crenata**—Four feet in height, flowers double, of a pure white, beautifully tinged with rose. Price, 15c each.

### LILACS

**White Lilac**—As a decorative plant on the lawn or in the border it is without a peer, and its pure white, graceful plumes of sweetly fragrant flowers add grace and beauty to bouquets, vases, etc. As a cemetery plant, it is without a rival. Price, 50c each.

**Purple Lilac**—Price, 25c each; large plants, 50c each.

### SNOWBALL

A grand old shrub which we all remember in childhood,

producing in June large round balls of snow-white bloom, which droop from the branches gracefully. Price 25c each.

### SYRINGAS

**Mock Orange**—These lovely, hardy, exquisitely fragrant flowering shrubs should be in every garden. Indeed, the old-fashioned, sweet-scented Mock Orange (so-called because of the exquisite fragrance of the flowers, like orange-blossoms is known to all lovers of plants. Price, 15c each.

**Primulaefolius**—Flowers large, of delightful fragrance, double, white, star-shaped, resembling the double white Primula; produced in bunches of five to seven; hardy. Price, 15c each.

### SPIREAS

These are beautiful shrubs of easy culture. Very desirable for shrubberies or the flower garden. Price, 15c each.

**Ballardii**—Flowers in spikes of pink or rose color.

**Van Houttei**—A strong grower, flowers a pure white, in clusters. Fine. The best.

### WEIGELIAS

**Candida**—This is the very best of all the white-flowered Weigelas; a strong, upright, erect grower; flowers pure white and produced in great profusion. Price, 20c each.

**Variegated Leaved**—Deep green leaves, broadly margined yellowish-white. Very striking and pretty. Flowers same as above, but of smaller growth. Price, 20c each.

**Rosea, Nana**—One of the most conspicuous shrubs that we cultivate; flowers pink. It is a dwarf grower and admirably adapted to small lawns or gardens. Price, 20c each.



HARDY HOLLYHOCKS.

## SUPERB DOUBLE

# HOLLYHOCKS

**F**EW PLANTS combine as many good qualities as the Hollyhock. For planting in rows or groups on the lawn, or for interspersing among shrubbery, they are invaluable. The flowers form perfect rosettes of the most lovely shades of crimson, pink, and white. The Hollyhock requires a rich, deep soil, well drained, and will repay in quantity and elegance of bloom any extra care. A slight protection during the winter will be beneficial. (See cut.)

We offer strong one-year-old plants that are certain to produce grand spikes of flowers this season in the following colors, viz. Red, White, and Pink. o

PRICE, 10c EACH ✿ ✿ THE THREE FOR 25c

# SWEET-SCENTED HARDY HONEYSUCLES

**Chinese Evergreen Sweet-Scented Honeysuckle**—A hardy and vigorous grower; bloom nearly all the season; deliciously fragrant, flowers buff and white; very desirable for verandas and trellis work. Price, 8c each.

**Halliana**—The best white monthly Honeysuckle, with dark green foliage, which keeps fresh and green nearly all winter, and beautiful clusters of the sweet-scented flowers that open a showy white and turn a pale yellow. These flowers are produced in profusion from early Spring until late Fall. A fine vine for a large trellis, or to train at the end of a veranda or over tall screens. Price, 8c each.

**The Lovely Golden-Leaved**—Marvelously effective. It bears innumerable sprays of the most perfect little leaves that are covered with a net-work of gold and green, often marked with pink also. The gold deepens at the tip of the

sprays and there is nothing finer to combine with corsage bouquets, while for trimming floral baskets they are the finest thing we know of. A strong grower with white blossoms. Price, 10c each.

**Fuchsia Flowered Honeysuckle**—A new perpetual flowering, weeping Honeysuckle. Its flowers are long and trumpet-shaped, beautiful coral-red, borne in large clusters and drooping like a Fuchsia. It is a strong, rapid grower, with beautiful leaves and numerous branches which trail and droop in a charming, wavy manner. It is loaded with bloom during the entire Summer and Fall, and is the very finest perpetual blooming hardy climber. The plants we sell will bloom freely the first season. Price, 15c each.

**✿ We will send these four Honeysuckles for only 30c.**

# A SELECT LIST OF CHOICE FLOWER SEEDS

## ASTERS (Fall Roses)

The Aster is one of the most popular and effective of our garden favorites. Sow early in the house, and transplant into pots or boxes. As soon as the weather is warm enough, plant in beds about twelve inches apart. Half-hardy annuals.

**Mignon**—A new Aster of a great beauty. Plants about fifteen inches high. Very bushy and prolific. Flowers of good size, reflex petals and very double. It is splendid in pots or the open ground. Finest mixed colors. Price, 10c per packet.

**Comet**—Forming regular pyramids twelve to fifteen inches high, and covered with large double flowers. In shape they represent a large flowered Japanese Chrysanthemum, the petals being long and twisted, or curled and wavy. Price, 10c per packet.

**Dwarf Pyramidal Bouquet**—A magnificent dwarf variety, about one foot high. When full grown a single plant forms a complete bouquet of pyramidal shape, and covers itself with blossoms, often numbering fifteen or twenty flowers, almost entirely hiding the foliage. Fine for edging and small beds. Fine mixed. Price, 10c per packet.

**New Dwarf Pæony, Perfection**—Grows only twelve inches high; of very neat, compact habit and flowers most profusely. The flowers are of very large size and fine form, perfectly double, the petals beautifully incurved. The colors are particularly rich and brilliant, and the refined form of the flowers attracts great attention while in bloom. Fine mixed. Price, 10c per packet.

**New Victoria**—A very free bloomer; flowers very large and beautifully imbricated; one of the finest; plant pyramidal form; two feet high; all colors mixed. Price, 10c per packet.

**New Victoria White**—One of the finest white varieties; flowers large, perfect in form, and of the purest white. Price, 10c per packet.

## EXCELSIOR PACKET OF ASTERS

This packet contains a fine mixture made from the above choice varieties. Price, 10c per packet.

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SPECIAL OFFER—We will send one packet of each of the above named varieties for 50c. This will make a beautiful bed of Asters at a low price. No further discount on this collection.  
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## AGERATUM

A beautiful Mexican plant, much prized on account of the large number of flowers it bears; remains in bloom all Summer. Also suitable for pot culture.

**Ageratum Mexicanum**—Finest mixed. Price, 5c per packet.

## ALYSSUM

The delicate honey-like fragrance of the flowers of this little plant, so much prized in bouquets, baskets and design work, render it most unlikely that this old favorite will ever be cast aside. Easy culture, blooms all Summer; 12 inches.

**Alyssum, Sweet**—The well-known white variety. Price, 5c per packet.

**Alyssum, Little Gem**—New. Very dwarf; three or four inches high. Price, 5c per packet.

## ANTIRRHINUM (Snap Dragon)

The Snap Dragon is an old favorite border plant, with dark, glossy leaves, and large, curiously-shaped flowers, with finely marked throat. They bloom the first season from seed sown in the Spring, but the blossoms will be much stronger the second season. Price, 5c per packet.

## CHRYSANTHEMUM

Most showy Chrysanthemum can be raised from seed. The varieties we offer are the best in color, very double, and will make excellent flowers for cutting. Try it. Price, 10c per packet.

## NEW DEFIANCE BALSAM

**Balsam, Choice Double**—All colors. Mixed. Price, 5c per packet.

## CUCUMBER (Wild)

A rampant climber, fine for shade. Price, 5c per packet.

## CANTERBURY BELLS (Campanula)

A well-known free bloomer of great beauty; effective for beds or pot culture. Flowers of many colors, large, bell-shaped; succeeds best in light, rich soil. Sow seed early in the open ground; cover lightly; thin or transplant to twelve inches. Hardy biennial. Price, mixed single varieties, 5c per packet; mixed double varieties, 5c per packet.

## CANDYTUFT

Universally known and cultivated, and considered indispensable for cutting. All the varieties look best in beds or masses. Seeds sown in Autumn produce flowers early in the Spring; when sown in April they flower from June to September, and some of the sorts till frost comes.

**Candytuft, Finest Mixed**—Including all the choice varieties. Price, 5c per packet.

## CARNATION

**Marguerite Carnation**—Flowering in a few weeks from seed. Most abundant bloomers; flowers very double, ranging through beautiful shades of reds, pinks, white, variegated, etc. These sown in Spring commence flowering in early Summer, and continue to bloom until checked by frost. They can be potted and taken to the house and will flower abundantly throughout Winter, though if intended specially for Winter flowering, it will be better to sow later in the season. Mixed colors. Price, 10c per packet.

## CALLIOPSIS (Golden Wave)

This splendid showy annual is unsurpassed for bedding, bordering, hedges, shrubbery, etc. It is a perfect mass of golden-yellow, well meriting its name, "Golden Wave." The bushy and compact plants grow about two feet high, and from June to October are densely covered with beautiful yellow blossoms, each with a small, dark center. Seeds can be sown in open ground or transplanted; plants will grow with little care in any situation, and attract great attention. Price, 5c per packet.

## CENTAUREA (Blue Bottle or Batchelor Button)

One of the most attractive of all hardy annuals, the graceful beauty of its old-fashioned flowers being universally admired. A hardy annual of the easiest growth, and flowers freely and continuously; height two to three feet. Flowers excellent for cutting. Price, 5c per packet.

## CROZY'S DWARF CANNAS

These new dwarf, ever-blooming, large-flowering French Cannas bloom freely the first year from seed. They are much less expensive and more beautiful for bedding even than the best Geraniums. The roots can be kept in the cellar over Winter, and each clump will give six to eight good roots for planting out the following Spring. The mixed seed we offer has been saved from the finest varieties of all colors. Price, 10c per packet.

## COSMOS HYBRIDUS

One of the most showy and graceful of all garden flowers, and nothing can give greater satisfaction for a late display. They make very large plants, growing five to seven feet high, which are beautiful masses of the most elegant foliage until they begin to bloom in September, when each plant will have hundreds of large showy blossoms.

**Mixed Colors**—White, crimson and pink. Price, 5c per packet.

## COLEUS

Plants with richly colored foliage of maroon, green, crimson, yellow, etc. For groups on lawns and ribboning they are indispensable, and also valuable for pot culture. Although perennials, they attain perfection from seed the first season. Price, fine Hybrids, mixed, 15c per packet.

Please Make Out Your Seed Orders Separate From Your Plant Orders

**CHOICE FLOWER SEEDS, ETC. (Continued.)****COBŒA SCANDENS**

Unsurpassed for beauty by any annual vine. A very rampant grower, without a trace of coarseness; the flowers of the most elegant form; the soft gray-green of the long flexible stem and calyx combines beautifully with the violet-mauve color of the flowers. Price, 10c per packet.

**CYPRUS VINE (Ipomœa)**

This is a most beautiful climber, with a delicate dark-green, feathery foliage, and an abundance of bright, star-shaped, rose, scarlet and white blossoms, which, in the bright sunshine, presents a mass of beauty. Planted by the side of a veranda, tree or stake, and trained properly nothing is prettier. The seeds will sprout more readily if warm water is poured on the ground after sowing. Price, choice, mixed colors, 5c per packet.

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This beautiful little Daisy is indispensable for cool, shady places, pots and frames. With protection they will stand the Winter, and greet us in the early Spring with a profusion of gay flowers. They bloom beautifully in the house during the Winter and Spring, when cultivated in pots, and we highly recommend them for this purpose. In the garden treat them like Pansies.

Double, Mixed Colors—White, pink, rose, etc. Price, 10c per packet.

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Extra Choice—Large flowering and double. Price, 10c per packet.

**DUTCHMAN'S PIPE**

A rapid growing vine, with large, heart-shaped foliage and curious, yellow and brownish-purple flowers, resembling a pipe. Hardy perennial. Price, 10c per packet.

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California Poppy. Mixed; all colors. Price, 10c per packet

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This popular plant can be easily grown from seed.

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Every one loves the delightful fragrance and beauty of the Heliotrope, but very few are aware of the fact that it can be raised from seed as easily as Verbenas. From seed sown in the open ground the plants will flower in August, while a fine display can be had earlier by starting the seed in the house and setting out plants when the weather is warm.

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Larkspurs are no longer the common annuals of fifty years ago. They are now most beautiful in color, have flowers of a hyacinth-like size and have developed so that no garden can afford to be without them.

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A small plant, easily grown, whose leaves are used as a perfume. Price, 5c per packet.

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Sweet Mignonette—(Reseda Odorata.) The good old-fashioned, sweet Mignonette. Price, 5c per packet.

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(Marvel of Peru.) The plants are a solid mass of bright foliage and flowers that are exceedingly attractive. The flowers, which have a delicious fragrance, open in the afternoon; are sometimes called the Four O'Clock. Price, mixed colors, 5c per packet.

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The well-known Morning Glory. A fine, hardy and rapid grower, which always gives great satisfaction. They bloom early in the morning, and during the forenoon are brilliant with scores of beautiful flowers of various colors, white, pink, blue, scarlet, variegated, etc. Mixed, all colors. Price, 10c per packet.

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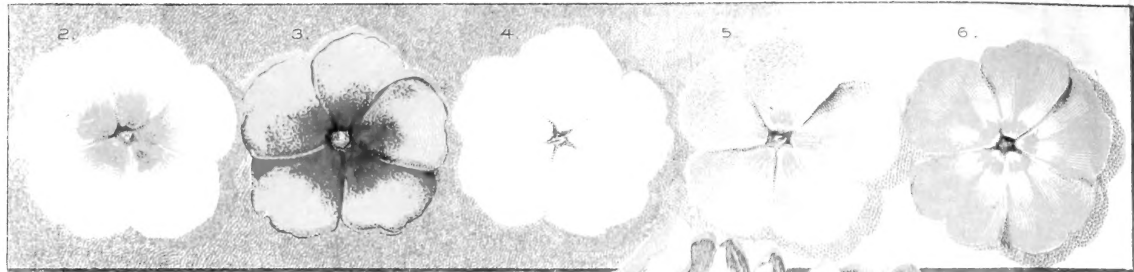
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